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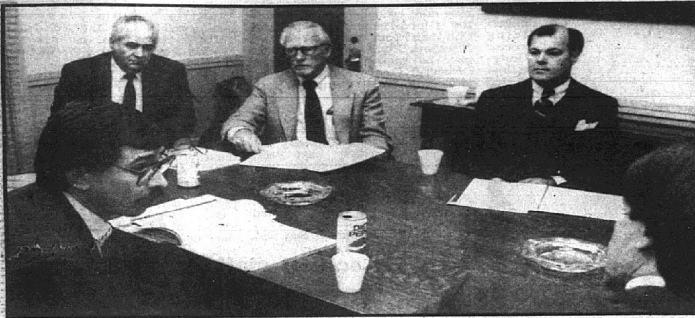
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DOWNTOWN REDEVELOPMENT was the topic of a presentation yesterday at City Hall. Clockwise from the left are Rob Treat of Illinois Power Co., F. C. Bush, executive vice president of the Tri-Cities Area Chamber of Commerce, realtor Ralph Morris, C. David Spooneman, executive vice president of the F. L. Sweeney Corp. of St. Louis, and Dennis Orsey, chairman of the city's economic development council.

(Staff photo by Patrick Foley)

Developer visits city

By Bill Bagby

Staff writer

GRANITE CITY — One development firm, out of an expected six, was represented at a presentation yesterday on the downtown redevelopment plan.

C. David Spooneman, executive vice president of F. L. Sweeney Corp. of St. Louis, attended the presentation Wednesday at City Hall.

Seven other developers, who were either scheduled to attend the meeting or showed interest but could not attend, will be scheduled for individual meetings, said Director of Economic Development Alan Ortbals.

CIVIC AND business leaders attending the presentation were Or-

bals, Mayor Von Dee Cruse, Dennis Orsey, chairman of the city's economic development council, Rob Treat of Illinois Power Co., 4th Ward Alderwoman Sharon Perjak, R. C. Bush, executive vice president of the Tri-Cities Area Chamber of Commerce, and Tom Holloway, chamber president and president of the First Granite City National Bank.

Treat, who was involved in preparing a market analysis of the downtown area, said a great deal of money is being spent by local residents outside of Granite City for comparative items (apparel, general merchandise, eating/drinking establishments, auto sales, furniture, miscellaneous) due to an inadequate selection of stores.

Retail businesses, Treat said, occupy less than 37 percent of all store fronts in downtown. Retail trade has shifted to the Napooki Road area, where 70 percent of all retail sales in the city occur, he added.

ORTBAL'S said a phone survey showed that Granite Citizens purchase much of their comparative goods at St. Clair Square, 15 miles from Granite City. He said there is \$190 million leakage from the city in retail sales.

When this was learned, Ortbals said, a plan was formulated with the goals of retaining retail sales in the city and renovating downtown.

Part of the plan was the adoption of Edwardsville, the primary contractor which performed all the basic work, were authorized by the aldermen.

The community's first major street improvement project in many years was completed last week. Repairs were made to combination curbs and gutters throughout the city and all streets were patched and resealed. Excluded from the

(See DEVELOPER, Page 10A)

Japanese interested in GC

By Dave Gosnell

Staff writer

GRANITE CITY — Sixteen representatives from Japanese auto parts companies will be shown today what Granite City has to offer the auto parts manufacturing business.

The Japanese are looking for a Midwest location for a new auto parts plant, said Tri-City Regional Port General Manager Bob Wydra.

IN A JOINT effort by the Port District, the Tri-Cities Area Chamber of Commerce, the Leadership Council of Southwestern Illinois and the Regional Commerce and Growth Association, the Japanese will be shown key characteristics of Granite City and the area that are considered important for auto parts production.

On the Japanese itinerary will be a tour of the Granite City harbor area, visits to Granite City Steel, A.O. Smith Corp. (a Granite City auto parts plant), and presentations at SITE.

Wydra said the visitors were especially interested in Granite City.

"They particularly wanted to see Granite City Steel and the A.O. Smith plant. They asked for it," he said.

THE JAPANESE will also talk with Granite City civic and business leaders, including the executive vice president of the Chamber of Commerce, R. C. Bush.

Wydra said he was unsure of the type of plant the Japanese are interested in building, but he said those hosting the visit will offer a wide range of information.

Presentations, in Japanese, will be given on business and manufacturing, cultural, recreational, educational and labor assets of this area, Wydra said. He said such information is important to Japanese businesses.

"OUR FIRST GOAL is seeing how seriously they are in locating here," Wydra said. "Our goal is to get them in the region."

Because of its designation as a

Japanese group tours port

By Dave Gosnell

Staff writer

GRANITE CITY — A group representing Japanese agricultural concerns may be interested in building a grain storage facility at the Tri-City Regional Port District, said the port's general manager, Bob Wydra.

The group toured the port on Oct. 31.

"It's a qualified prospect," Wydra said.

Wydra said the group may be connected with a large agricultural cooperative in Japan called Zenna. The Zenna cooperative imports 40 percent of Japan's agricultural imports, Wydra said.

"We do know one of the guides understood they (the Japanese) were talking about an elevator site in New Orleans," Wydra said. He said Zenna has the

largest elevator in New Orleans.

"If we find out that they are part of Zenna, we'll get the state to work with us," Wydra said. The Illinois Department of Commerce and the Department of Agriculture maintain an office in Japan, he said.

A new grain facility at the port could mean that more Illinois grain would be sold to the Japanese.

"It could be a good project. The more Illinois grain we sell, the better off we are," Wydra said.

The Japanese are interested in the port here because of the port's facilities, its Mississippi River location and its designation as a Foreign Trade Zone.

Wydra said he did not know what type of a facility the Japanese were interested in building.

foreign trade zone, its proximity to other auto manufacturing plants in the Midwest, and its intermodal transportation capabilities, the Tri-City Port is thought to figure prominently in this area's potential for gaining an auto parts plant.

The Fuji Corp. will be the largest company represented in the group, said Wydra.

THE VISIT was sparked by an informational brochure, translated into Japanese and sent to Japan, about the industrial potential of Southwestern Illinois and the St. Louis metropolitan area. The brochure emphasized the importance of the area to the U.S. automobile industry.

The brochure lists a wide range of statistical information, such as advantages of the area's air, highway, rail and water transportation, industrial park sites, labor force information, tax rates, and locations of auto assembly plants — as well as industries that produce materials that are key to auto parts manufacturing.

Wydra said some of the information in the brochure was included in a two-year report prepared by the Long-Term Credit Bank of Japan, a leading Japanese bank, about Midwest investment opportunities.

WYDRA SAID cooperation among area economic agencies, business and auto parts manufacturing.

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Thursday

Inside

ALL-AMERICAN: Todd Adamitis of the Warrior soccer team has been named to the National Coaches Association All-America team. He and teammate Dave DeRousse are also all-stars and all-SWC. For details, see Sports, page 11A.

Deaths

Valeria Gass
Herbert Horton
Harold Reutebuch
Ralph Rice

Lottery

Results of the Illinois State Lottery Daily Game were:
Saturday, Nov. 8: 381
Pick 4 Game: 8867
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Sunday, Nov. 9: 754
Pick 4 Game: 0493
Monday, Nov. 10: 166
Pick 4 Game: 2257
Tuesday, Nov. 11: 424
Pick 4 Game: 3861
Wednesday, Nov. 12: 531
Pick 4 Game: 4487
Lotto Game
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75 years ago

Tuesday, Nov. 14, 1911
John Hessel, the man chosen to pick up Granite City garbage, is being assailed by residents and the city refuses to pay his first month's salary. It seems Hessel refuses to pick up some garbage. He says Granite City residents have a habit of throwing dead cats, dogs, broken dishes and glass into the garbage cans.

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Alderman says better street work needed

By Valerie Evenden

Staff writer

Street improvement projects occupied City Council members at Tuesday night's meeting.

Approval was given to release more than \$100,000 in Community Development funds to meet street improvement expenditures.

CD FUNDS amounting to \$109,349 for Thiems Construction Company

Inc. of Edwardsville, the primary contractor which performed all the basic work, were authorized by the aldermen.

The community's first major street improvement project in many years was completed last week. Repairs were made to combination curbs and gutters throughout the city and all streets were patched and resealed. Excluded from the

work project were Broadway, Fourth and Klein streets.

IMPROVEMENTS also were made to the north portions of Third Street, on College Street from Weaver Street to Line Alley, and on Grandville Street west of Second Street.

Thiems Co., which was low bidder on the project, was not responsible for oiling and chipping several

streets in the north section of Venice.

Payment for this stage of the work, which is considered maintenance rather than improvement, will be made from motor fuel tax funds appropriated for the current year, Edward N. Juncus, project engineer, explained.

A \$2,417 BILL submitted by Juneau Associates Inc. of Granite

City for engineering services connected with the project also was approved.

Some dissatisfaction with the oiling and chipping process was expressed by 4th Ward Alderman Victor Valentine Sr., who said some residents had complained of oil pooling in the roadway.

"They just made a fast pass up," Rush said.

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Election petitions obtained by 14

GRANITE CITY — Petitions have been obtained by 14 residents considering running in the April 1987 city election.

Four-year offices to be filled in April are those of one alderman in each of the seven wards and the superintendent of streets, said City Clerk Robert Stevens.

Petitions are available at Stevens' office at the City Hall, 2000 Edison Ave. The first day to file petitions in Stevens' office is Jan. 18. The last day to file is Jan. 26 before 5 p.m., Stevens said.

Petitions for office have been obtained by the following people as of Nov. 12. An asterisk (*) denotes incumbent candidates.

First Ward alderman — Everett Morley* and Juanita Crawley.

Second Ward alderman — Jim Ortiz.

Third Ward alderman — Paul Fisk.

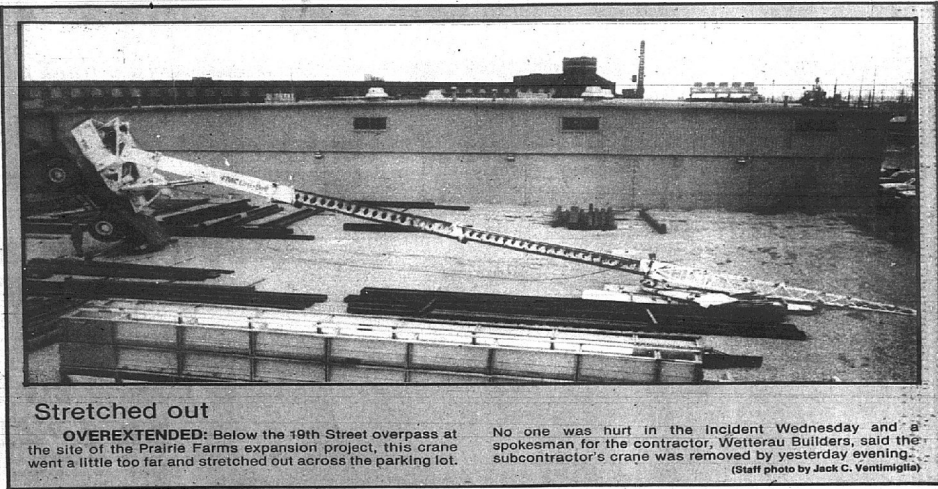
Fourth Ward alderman — Tom Hewlett* and Dan Partney.

Fifth Ward alderman — Lloyd Bailey* and William Moreland.

Sixth Ward alderman — Dusan Gagich, Bill Seago, Walter Milton and Samuel Georgoff.

Seventh Ward alderman — Charlie Bernaix.

Superintendent of streets — Mac Warfield.



Stretched out

OVEREXTENDED: Below the 19th Street overpass at the site of the Prairie Farms expansion project, this crane went a little too far and stretched out across the parking lot.

No one was hurt in the incident Wednesday and a spokesman for the contractor, Wetherall Builders, said the subcontractor's crane was removed by yesterday evening.

(Staff photo by Jack C. Ventimiglia)

'Education Week' planned in Venice schools

By Valerie Evenden

Staff writer

VENICE — A program featuring a television celebrity and parental visits at school are part of a full schedule of activities next week at both the high school and grade school.

In observance of American Education Week, Nov. 17-21, a series of special events is being planned by the Venice High School faculty.

AMONG THE WEEK'S highlights will be an assembly at 1 p.m. Wednesday, featuring Bonita Cornute from the KTVI (Channel 2) news department.

Miss Cornute hosts the "Turnabout" show televised each Sunday and is seen on other special feature programs.

Parents of all Venice students are invited to join their children at lunch in the school cafeteria Wednesday and then attend the assembly, Juanita Long, American Education Week faculty committee chairman, said.

LUNCH HOUR starts for grade school pupils at 11 a.m. and for high school students at 12:25 p.m., she said.

On Friday, Nov. 21, students will be treated to another special

assembly featuring the widely-acclaimed Lincoln High School Jazz Band of East St. Louis, under the direction of Ron Carter.

John C. Rush, VHS principal, said the band has performed at most major events in and around the metropolitan St. Louis area.

BAND MEMBERS are raising funds to help finance travel expenses for concert appearances throughout the United States and also to perform in foreign countries, he said.

Venice students also will observe "Dress Up Day" that Friday, the principal said.

"Open House Day" for both the high school and grade school will take place Thursday night, Nov. 20, Rush reported.

PARENTAL visits are being planned this year at night, between 6:30 and 8:30, to enable parents who work during the day to have the opportunity to talk with the teachers, he said.

Parents may visit with teachers in their child's classroom to see and hear about current class activities and then enjoy refreshments in the cafeteria, the principal said.

"STARTING the week on Monday will be Teacher Appreciation Day,

meaning be nice to your teacher," Rush said.

On Tuesday, "School Colors Day" will be observed, with teachers and students wearing red and white clothing, ribbons or other items.

"All parents and friends are being encouraged to visit the schools during the week and enjoy the festivities," Rush said this week.

All of the events, including the night visits by parents, will be held for the Venice elementary school as well as the high school.

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Journals sponsor 'Old Newsboys Day'

ST. LOUIS - Area residents will see familiar faces hawking Old Newsboy editions of the St. Louis Globe-Democrat on Nov. 20, thanks to an agreement between the Globe-Democrat and Suburban Newspapers of Greater St. Louis. Under the agreement, the Suburban Journals will print copies of 30th annual Old Newsboy's edition. This year's theme will focus on the progress in the metro area. William O. Mullins, president of the Suburban Newspapers, said

conversations on both sides regarding the continuation of Old Newsboys Day, had been on going, but the decision hadn't been reached until last Tuesday. Because Old Newsboy's Day is about one week away, the biggest task ahead is organizing volunteers. Kathy Smith, director of public relations for the Globe-Democrat, said Nov. 12 is the final day to volunteer. Anyone interested should call the Globe offices at 342-1244.

Anyone who had volunteered before the Globe-Democrat shut down Oct. 29 should expect to take part in the event. Businesses and residents also may mail contributions payable to the Globe-Democrat Fund for Children Inc. or to the Old Newsboys Fund. All contributions may be mailed to: the Globe-Democrat Fund for Children Inc., Mercantile Trust Company, P.O. Box 422, St. Louis 63166.

Proceeds from the sale of Old Newsboy newspapers and contributions benefit approximately 200 children's charities. Last year, Smith said the campaign last year raised more than \$200,000. Smith said approximately 5,000 volunteers have stepped forward. Last year, 10,000 people donated their time. The first Old Newsboys Day was

in held 1957. Mullins said he hoped the tradition could continue.

"We would hope someone would be willing to continue with this," he said.

However, Mullins said the agreement should not be interpreted as an effort by the Suburban Newspapers to revive the Globe-Democrat.

Efforts for the Old Newsboy's Day campaign were underway when the decision to cease publication of the Globe-Democrat was reached, said publisher John B. Prentiss.

"We have not had many opportunities to give out much good news lately," Prentiss said, "but the children's charities supported by this outstanding drive will continue to be supported this year."

Old Newsboys Day has raised almost \$3.5 million for children since 1957.

Party for school staff on Friday

Plans are being finalized for the second annual "Getting Together" party for all Granite City School District 9 personnel. A theme of "Back to the Future" has been chosen for this year's party, which will be held on Friday, Nov. 14, from 7:30 p.m. to 1 a.m. at the Knights of Columbus Hall on Old Alton Road. All District 9 employees - present, former and retired - and their guests are invited to attend. Cost of the tickets, including food, snacks, and refreshments, is \$9.50 per person in advance and \$10 at the door.

Current employees who plan to attend may contact the "Getting Together '86" representative in their school or work area.

Former employees and retirees are to contact Georgianne Georgeoff at Granite City High School (877-1512) or Gary Phroender at the board of education office (876-6600).

Events and activities will include dance contests, entertainment and prizes.

Mizell guilty in fraud case

EDWARDSVILLE — A former Madison County deputy coroner from Granite City has been sentenced for illegally receiving state unemployment compensation. Dickey E. Mizell, 42, pleaded guilty and was sentenced Nov. 7 by Madison County Associate Judge Charles Roman Jr. to 30 months probation and was ordered to make full restitution of \$2,148 over the next two years on a charge of state benefits fraud.

MIZELL'S BOND of \$600 will be applied immediately to the repayment. Roman ordered. He will then pay a minimum of \$65 a month starting Dec. 1.

A second fraud count and a perjury charge were dismissed by Roman under a plea bargaining agreement. Dennis Orsey, regional director of the Granite City office of Illinois Attorney General Neil P. Hartigan, represented the state in the case. Mizell was represented by attorney Dave Mullett.

MIZELL, of the 2000 block of Madison Avenue, was indicted on the charges in August.

One of the fraud charges against Mizell was that he received more than \$300 in unemployment compensation from the Illinois Department of Employment Security for the week of Aug. 26-27, 1985, when he was employed by Robert Thomas Memorial Mortuary, 2205 Pontoon Road.

The perjury charge alleged Mizell signed a claim certificate stating he had no income for that period.

THE SECOND fraud count alleged he illegally received benefits from April 2 to Aug. 27, 1985.

The charges stemmed from a statewide investigation called Operation Two-Timer, which was started in January by Hartigan's office.

Mizell resigned his position as deputy coroner in July in an unrelated matter.

Furnishings auction set

The Defense Reutilization and Marketing Office, Scott Air Force Base, will have a local auction on Tuesday, Nov. 18, at the St. Louis Area Support Center, Warehouse 5, Section 1, Granite City.

Bedding, household furnishings, typewriters and office furniture are some of the items to be auctioned.

Property may be inspected on the following days only: Nov. 12, 13, 14 and 15 from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Registration will start at 8 a.m. and the auction will begin at 9 a.m. Nov. 18.

Catalogs of the items may be obtained at the inspection site.

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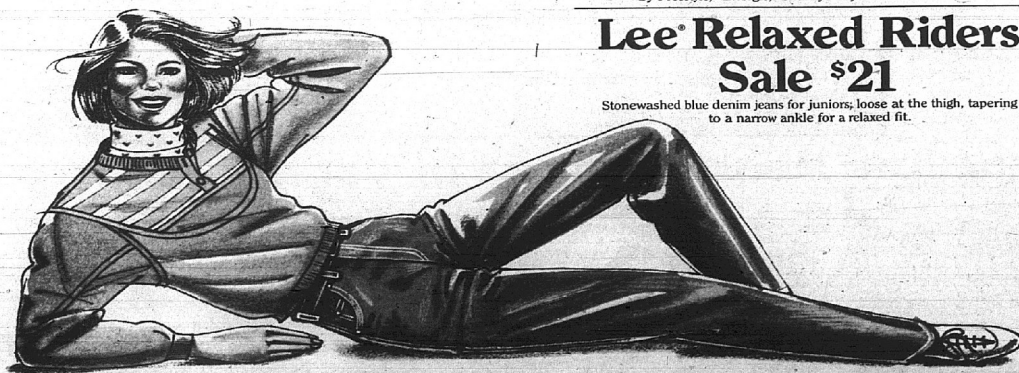
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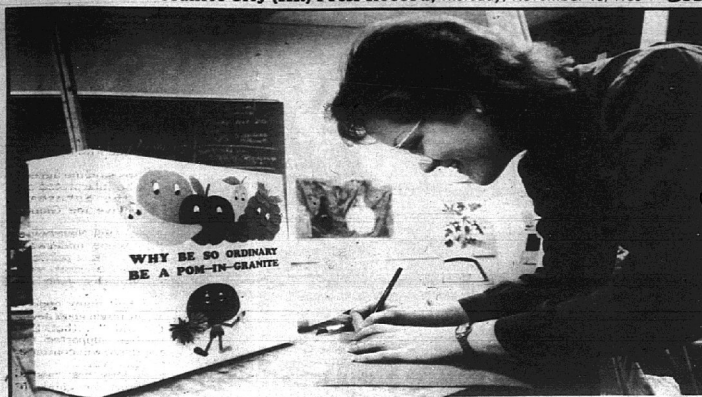
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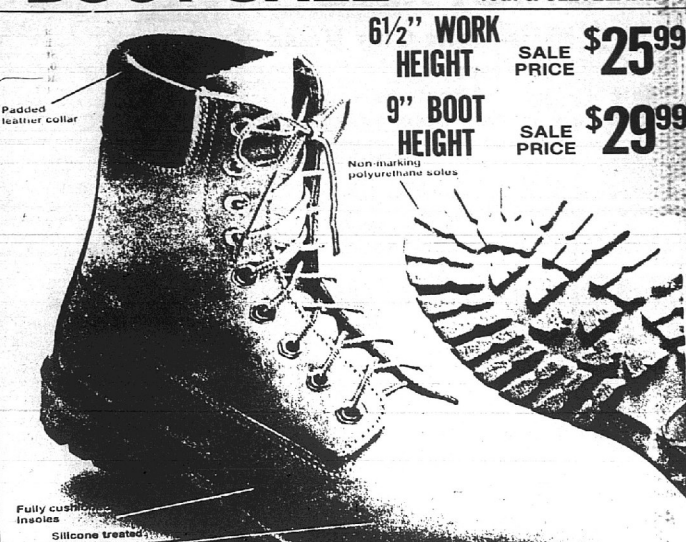
A pom-in-Granite

ART PROJECT: Janice Camren of Granite City, a student at the Granite City Campus of Belleville Area College, helps publicize GCC's pom-pom squad tryouts with projects from her advertising art class.

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Personnel changes in Pontoon

By Jackie Adams
Correspondent

PONTOON BEACH — Personnel changes were approved by the Village Board at its Oct. 28 meeting. Mary Rowden was sworn in as deputy clerk by Village Clerk Mary Warren. Rowden will be a full-time employee.

The board also passed an ordinance establishing the position of assistant chief of police with the rank of captain.

Harold T. Denham was appointed to this position and the board determined that while Denham would be paid no overtime, he would be given a raise in pay.

Along with these changes, the board also decided to budget \$15,000 to initiate membership of Pontoon Beach Village employees in the Il-

linois Municipal Retirement Fund.

Dispatcher John Nikolassuk was also changed to full-time status from part-time employment.

In other business, the board:

- Heard a report from the health inspector that an EPA inspector had checked into a metal pile at Stephens Trucking. According to the inspector, that metal will be removed by Jan. 1.
- Discussed the condition of a pallet business owned by Donnie Shrum and Michael DeLozier on Illinois 111.
- Heard a request from Dennis Russell, representative of the Mount State Park Improvement Association asking for incorporation of State Park. No action was taken.
- Accepted the audit.
- Passed ordinances de-annexing property owned by Tom Foster,

Walter Faber and Gordon Cass.

- Heard from Attorney Michael Thompson of the Madison County Transit Authority regarding repair of Guenther Road.

The building of the Transit Authority garage damaged the road and a continuing disagreement has been held on who should repair the road — Chouteau Township or Pontoon Beach or the Transit Authority itself.

Village Board President Glen Wilson met Nov. 5 with representatives from Chouteau and the Madison County Transit Authority.

"I think we've gotten it all worked out now," said Wilson. "The transit people will pay for the road and other material and Chouteau will do the work."

Next meeting will be Nov. 18 at 7 p.m.

Madison students honored for grades

Arthur Carter, principal of Madison High School, has released the following Honor Roll for the first 6-week grading period of 1986-87.

High Honors: Senior: Lafayette Burks, Michelle Crawford and Lisa Davenport. Junior: Gwenette Brown, Dawn Hammi, Clint Hummel and Howard Murray. Sophomore: Rachel Huey and Nicole Royston. Freshman: Kenzie Arnold, Steven Mainridge and Erika Owens.

Honors: Senior: Wanda Baker, William Blockton, Alanna Browley, LaShonda Campbell, Roosevelt Darden, Donna Finn, Denieta

Franklin, Kim Gleaton, John Hamm, Cheryl Jones, Michele Jones, Theodes Kemp, Vicki Morgan, Lisa Mosley, Hope Thompson and Avery Ware.

Junior: Tawana Carter, Nicole Howard, Nicole Jacks, Renaldo James, Charlotte Kullum, Kelly Madison, RaShawn Matthews, Carla Reynolds, Geneva Sanders, Chelsea Smith, DeAnn Weidner and Lisa K. Young.

Sophomore: Dettra Blakely, Sam Divine, Tammy Goes, Mark Hays, Gary Marsala, Eric Richardson and Larry Sanders.

Freshman: Tobl Buckingham, Jeffrey Griggs, Shelly Hahn, DeAnna Hughes, William Koenig, Sherree Powers and Thomas Purkpile.

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Old Newsboys Day good cause

More than 200 charities will benefit from the Suburban Journals' decision to keep Old Newsboys Day on schedule this year.

Plans for the fund drive dimmed when the *Globe-Democrat*, sponsors since the event's 1957 inception, ceased publication in October. But an agreement reached Nov. 7 between representatives of the two newspaper publishing companies means Old Newsboys Day will continue as planned Thursday, Nov. 20.

Election spotlights trade issue

Those who interpret election results do not always agree, but a consensus seems to be developing that voters on Nov. 4 triggered new attention to America's foreign trade imbalance.

If trade reforms are achieved, it could affect steelmaking communities like Granite City. Foreign-made steel has taken an ever-increasing bite out of the domestic market, and unrealistic pricing has caused financial losses and the elimination of many manufacturing plants.

The classic argument against trade restrictions is that limiting imports could incite foreign retaliation against U.S. exports. But the extreme balance-of-trade deficit — a record \$148 billion in 1985 — is evidence that unfair tactics are being used by some countries and ought to be thwarted more effectively by this nation.

The Reagan administration is a strong free-trade advocate. But voters changed the U.S. Senate from a 53-47 Republican edge to a 55-45 Democratic majority. Democrats simultaneously increased their hold on the 435-member U.S. House. And already many of the senators and congressmen are calling for a bigger effort to maintain basic industries, including steel.

Trade problems will be the most urgent item on the legislative agenda, in the opinion of two Texans, Jim Wright, who will be the new speaker of the House, and Lloyd Bentsen, likely to head the Senate's Finance Committee.

The thousands of Metro East- and St. Louis-area volunteers committed to helping with Old Newsboys Days must be pleased to know their charitable plans will be realized. And we urge everyone to aid the cause by giving generously to the Old Newsboys Day drive.

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Hundreds of thousands of U.S. workers — in industries ranging from shoes to textiles to computers — have lost their jobs in recent years because of an increasing number of inexpensive imports and a decline in overseas sales by U.S. manufacturers and farmers.

The President argues that new trade barriers would stifle economic growth abroad, perhaps leading to an overall decrease in world trade, a major cause of the Great Depression of the 1930s.

The Reagan administration did push for a lower value for the dollar this year, making imports more expensive and U.S. products less costly to consumers and therefore more competitive. But 1986 is expected to bring still another trade deficit record.

One step that could be helpful here would be to toughen the penalties and respond more quickly to trade law violations, giving U.S. agencies less discretion, rather than letting them just "wait and hope" for better times. Granite City is in almost a unique situation, as the site of major domestic steelmaking enhanced by Japanese skills and ownership.

Thousands of Quad-City Area jobs are at stake, as Granite City Steel officials have been telling their staff in meetings this fall. It is essential that American steel production achieve true competitiveness worldwide, and many of the new and old lawmakers are promising to do all they can to help it succeed.

Koehler proud of her accomplishments

To the editor:

I'm proud to have had this opportunity to travel around the state and talk about the conservative ideals that are important to the citizens of Illinois and the vast majority of Americans.

In my campaign, I talked about my philosophy of less government, not more; of lower taxes; and of a strong and proud America.

It was a great honor to campaign as a Reagan Republican and in fact have the President come to Illinois to campaign on my behalf.

This has been a year of tremendous opportunities. I am very proud to have received strong conservative support from Republicans,

Democrats and independents.

This candidacy also marked the turning point for women in Illinois. I won the Republican nomination for the United States Senate and opened the door to the future for women in Illinois politics.

My candidacy certainly demonstrates that, in the future, women will be elected to high public offices like the U.S. Senate and the governor office of our great state.

Judy Koehler will continue her battle for integrity in government. I will return to the Illinois General Assembly to complete my term.

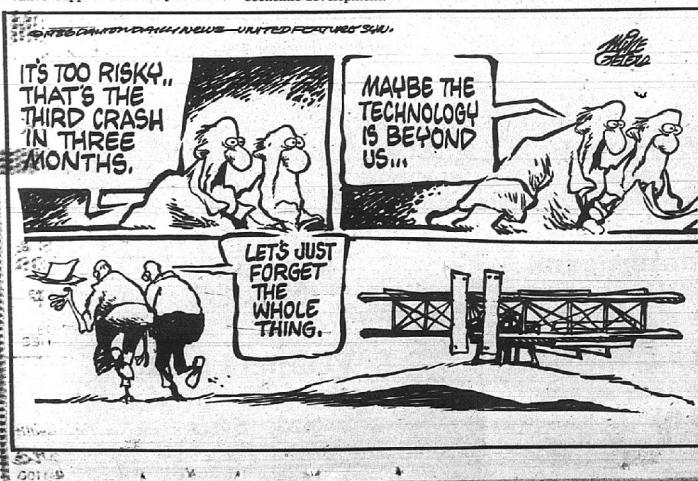
I will continue to fight for fiscal responsibility, lower taxes and economic development.

In the weeks and months to come, I will continue to speak out for those mainstream American ideals that we all hold dear.

More than a million Illinois voters, most of whom only a year ago had never heard of Judy Koehler, expressed their support of my efforts. I pledge to them that I will continue to fight to get government off their backs and out of their daily lives, for — in the words of Thomas Jefferson — "government governs best that governs least."

I offer my heartfelt thanks to all who supported me in my bid for the Senate. I am proud that so many people worked so hard.

JUDY KOEHLER



Readers react



Carol Nelson, Granite City

"I think it could have held off for a while longer. It's too soon to be this cold."

Are you ready for winter?

As temperatures fall to the record-low readings expected tonight (Wednesday), are you ready for the apparent early winter?



Jack Kimball, O'Fallon

"I wish it wouldn't come at all. I wish it was 70 degrees all year long."



George Scrum, Granite City

"No sir! I never did care for cold weather."

Ban on 'home work' should be lifted

To the editor:

Even in this era of deregulation, women working in the home face an absolute legal prohibition against certain types of work for payment. For more than 40 years, the federal government has banned the production through employment in homes of seven products, including women's apparel, gloves and jewelry.

In August, Labor Secretary Brock proposed doing away with this homework prohibition. The department asked for comments from the public, which are due in Washington before Dec. 4.

After the Labor Department proposed lifting this homework ban, some unions mounted letter writing campaigns. Through the end of October, mail to the department was running 3-1 against lifting the ban.

Many families in rural America need the income that this type of "in

the home" work can provide. Denying them the right to work for an employer from their home denies an opportunity for an income source that's compatible with raising a family and running the farm business.

The Labor Department's old rules against in-home work are a throwback to an earlier age. They were needed at one time to prevent employers from circumventing minimum wage and other work-related federal laws governing employment.

But the department's new proposal handles these potential problems by requiring employers to register with the department and report employment practices to allow enforcement of the laws which protect employees.

This registration system has already worked successfully for

nearly a year with knitted outerwear garments — which were the first items removed from the homework ban after 41 years of regulation.

It is absolutely ridiculous in this day of telecommuting lawyers and freelance computer software designers for the federal government to persist in trying to deny employers the right to provide jobs to people who want to earn some income by working in their own homes.

If you agree that the Labor Department's ban on "in the home" employment should be lifted, write a letter to Washington before Dec. 3. Send it to Paula Y. Smith, Administrator, Wage and Hour Division, U.S. Department of Labor, Room 3-3502, 200 Constitution Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20210.

HOMEBOY

Missile defense is vital to America

To the editor:

The contest between the two superpowers is a long-standing rivalry that will be with us far into the future. Our relations with the Soviets reflect basic differences in geopolitical objectives that are enduring in nature.

Our national strategies are equally different, particularly our strategies insofar as nuclear forces are concerned. Our purpose in having nuclear forces is defensive, to prevent aggression against our vital national interests.

Since the Soviets' fundamental goal is world domination, their purpose is to use nuclear weapons as the decisive factor in a process of nuclear blackmail. For them, nuclear weapons are the backdrop for a system of expansion involving subversion, proxy war and terrorism to advance their aggressive acts worldwide. For the Soviets, nuclear weapons are the ultimate coercive threat.

Strategic nuclear forces, as they exist today, give the Soviets a considerable margin of superiority. Using only their 308 SS-16 ICBMs, they could destroy our ICBM silos and seriously damage our command, control and communication system. We cannot inflict similar damage, even using our entire force. That means the Soviets have a pre-emptive counter force, or first-strike capability, and we do not.

The U.S. strategic deterrent is no longer credible in view of the Soviet first-strike capability. Effective deterrence requires us to have a survivable weapons system able to put at immediate risk those installations the Soviet leaders value most, such as super-hardened command bunkers and other facilities that constitute their tools of control and

power. The only weapons system that can provide us this capability in an early time frame is the MX — if it can be deployed in a survivable mode.

President Reagan's Strategic Defense Initiative (SDI) can make the MX survivable with some of the ground-based weapons of the multi-layered SDI system, some of which are close to being ready for production. Unfortunately, current policy is that SDI is restricted to research only. This will postpone until the mid-'90s doing anything to restore the credibility of our nuclear deterrent.

If we were to build a limited-area ballistic missile defense (BMD) system to protect an MX missile field, we would have then created the uncertainty of first-strike success in the Soviet leaders' minds that is the essence of deterrence. Preventing this development is thus a prime Soviet objective in arms-control negotiations.

The President has recently proposed to the Soviets that the United States will keep SDI in the research state for five or more years as a means of getting negotiations on arms control moving. This will prevent us from going ahead with a limited area ballistic missile defense system for the MX. The Soviets could not be more pleased.

Further, according to recent press reports, the President said he would not need those who want to install a partial shield protecting our missile forces.

The Soviets are rejoicing. We have given them all they want before the negotiations have even started. We can be sure that we will get little in return.

The Soviets will probably agree to give up 50 percent of the ICBMs if we

will do the same — providing MXs included. The Soviets could give up 75 percent of their ICBMs and still maintain first-strike capability.

Three hundred and eight SS-16 ICBMs would give them the first-strike option, and of course the SS-16s can be reloaded. We have no idea how many SS-16s they have stockpiled. They could have 1,000 SS-16s parked in covered storage and we would never know it.

So mutual reduction of nuclear weapons means little in an arms-control treaty unless we could get on-site verification for a complete search of the Soviet Union — something they will never permit.

The American people, especially the Congress and the State Department, need to remember that genuine arms control should increase the security of both sides. If it does not increase our security, it would be better not to have an arms-control treaty.

How do we attack this most serious national security problem? We recommend we proceed immediately with the best limited-area ballistic missile defense that we can develop.

Provide protection for our strategic forces, with the MX getting first priority. Then protect the national command and control and communication system.

This would require the 1972 ABM Treaty to be renegotiated, but it could go into that negotiation from a position of strength for a change.

Would this course of action be expensive? Yes, it would. Can we afford it? Yes, we can, if we desire to remain free. The price of freedom always has been high.

U.S. GRANT SHARP
Navy Admiral (Retired)

Simon ponders presidential prospects

WASHINGTON — Sen. Paul Simon, D-Ill., is having difficulty deciding whether to extricate his toes from the presidential waters or plunge in up to his trademark bow tie and go after his party's 1988 presidential nomination.

Simon's course seemed clearer about four months ago when he all but took himself out of contention. Now Simon says he will decide by the start of the year — possibly over the Thanksgiving holiday — whether to "close the door altogether" or say "maybe I will take a look at it."

Simon, 57, appeared less ambivalent in his midsummer response to a letter urging him to run that was signed by 15 of his former House colleagues.

"I love the job the people of Illinois have entrusted to me, and I have no plans for the step my friends in the House have suggested," he said on June 30.

Simon did add one significant caveat that "someone in public life is wise never to say never to any development."

He is following his own advice because he clearly is not saying "never" now. Although he casts a presidential bid as not likely, Simon is listening to friends and colleagues and discussing with key advisers the scope of what would be involved if he were to seek the nomination.

"I have been telling people that I am not inclined to do it, but I am

listening to people," Simon said. "But I don't think you can just let this thing kind of simmer out there and not do anything."

Simon said a "few other things" have happened since his June 30 statement and cited a highly complimentary column in September by syndicated columnist Richard Reeves, whose work appears in about 125 newspapers.

Reeves, touting Simon for the presidency, described him as a "symbol of the decency and dedication that representative democracy can produce." Simon said that column caused "a little escalation of the talk."

Simon said he has been so encouraged "by some people of substance" that he could not "dismiss lightly" a presidential bid. Simon declined to identify those people, and a Simon aide described them only as "some senators and state party leaders."

Of course, Simon helped keep the pot simmering with his recent trip to New Hampshire, which holds the first presidential primary election. Simon downplayed that trip as a "small part" of the encouragement that he said he had received.

But it is significant that Simon skipped the final vote on the tax reform bill — arguably the most important legislation produced by the 99th Congress — to keep his commitment to be the keynote speaker at the New Hampshire

Democrats' state convention.

Simon is far too shrewd not to realize that the New Hampshire trip would signal that he is, indeed, keeping the door open.

David Carle, Simon's press secretary, discounts speculation that Simon may be trying to keep his name alive as a presidential possibility as a means of bolstering his chances for the second spot on the national ticket. He said Simon has told him that he has "little interest" in the vice presidential nomination.

Although Simon has not formed any committees or taken any other formal steps, he has discussed with key advisers such basics as the availability of funds for a presidential campaign, Carle said.

Carle said one of the conclusions from those discussions is that Sen. Joseph Biden of Delaware and Rep. Richard Gephardt of Missouri, two potential contenders for the Democratic nomination who have been active on the money-raising circuit, would not have a lock on their contributors' allegiance if Simon entered the race.

He said Simon's "chief concern" is what message Democrats will carry to voters in 1988 and his fear that he will try to be a "carbon copy" of President Reagan.

He said Simon's second concern

is "logistical," how to assemble the money, organization and support that would be necessary.

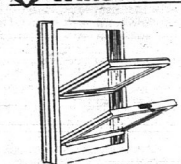
Those questions, of course, would have been present this summer when Simon stopped just a hair short of ruling out a candidacy.

What has changed, Carle said, is the timing. Any potential presidential candidate has to decide soon; and, with Congress adjourned, Simon now has more time to give his future serious consideration, Carle said.

Carle puts the odds at "less than even" that Simon will make a bid for the nomination.

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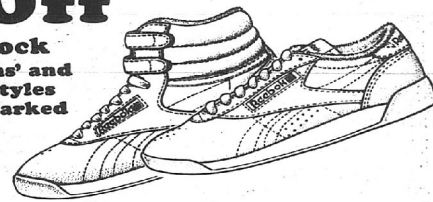
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Study faults handling of food stamps

WASHINGTON — The Illinois Public Aid Department is denying food stamp benefits to some eligible recipients, according to a recent federal study.

The state, which has one of the largest food stamp programs in the nation, has failed to restore benefits to people who were improperly ruled ineligible for food stamps, the General Accounting Office said after sampling 115 Illinois cases as part of an ongoing five-state study.

The GAO, an investigative arm of the Congress, faulted the state for lacking a procedure to ensure that benefits are restored when appropriate.

Dan Pittman, a Public Aid Department spokesman, said the department will review the GAO audit and correct any "procedural weaknesses."

There are nearly 20,000 Illinois cases each year where an applicant is denied food stamps or a recipient is cut from the program improperly, according to esti-

mates by both Pittman and GAO official Stan Czerwinski.

Neither official could estimate how many of those people had their benefits restored when the errors were discovered.

"But in our sample, none were restored," Czerwinski said.

The GAO study examined 115 cases where the food stamp applicants had been denied or recipients had been terminated from the program by local food stamp offices.

The Public Aid Department found four cases of improper denials or terminations. The GAO found 28 such improper denials, and the state agreed with the findings in the additional 22 cases.

When the Public Aid Department finds an error in its samplings of processed cases, it is supposed to notify the local office that handled the case. The local office is then supposed to evaluate the case and restore benefits where appropriate.

In the four cases reviewed

where the department had detected errors, the local office was notified in only one case. In that instance, the department did not specify how the local office was to correct the error nor did the department require the local office to report what steps it was taking.

In one example cited by the GAO, a man who was certified to receive \$79 a month in food stamps was cut from the program in December of 1984 by a Chicago office because he was receiving unemployment insurance and general assistance benefits.

The department found in February of 1985 that the Chicago office had acted improperly because the man's total monthly income of \$195 was below the \$540 standard for a one-person household.

When the GAO reviewed the case in March of 1986 — 15 months after the man was cut from the program — it found that the man's case had not been evaluated by

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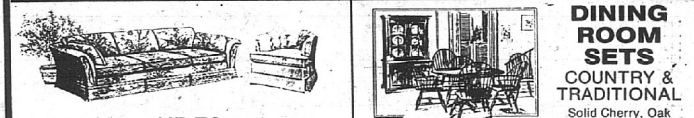
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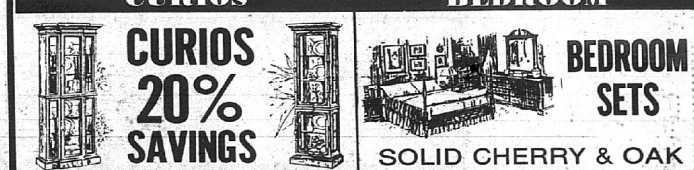


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Illinois lagging in job creation

A consultant to the state Department of Commerce and Community Affairs says Illinois lags well behind the national average in the creation and retention of jobs.

But the consultant's report also suggests that Illinois has the resources to compete with adjacent Midwestern states.

"Illinois firms are expanding disproportionately outside of Illi-

nois," it says. "Non-Illinois firms are generally competing more effectively than Illinois firms; Illinois is not gaining its traditional share of small-business growth."

The two-part report was developed by The Fantus Co., an international industrial site selection consultant with offices in Chicago. The report was released by Gov. Thompson in the wake of a recent campaign debate.

Thompson's opponent, Adlai Stevenson, cited the report during the debate in Chicago. After the debate, Stevenson released to reporters the report's 117-page assessment of the state's economic strengths and weaknesses.

The report was received by DCCA in January.

Thompson and DCCA Director Jay Hedges released the rest of the report, a 75-page economic de-

velopment plan with 103 specific suggestions for administrative and legislative changes. Hedges said DCCA got that portion Aug. 21.

Hedges said he thinks Stevenson was irresponsible in leaking only the portion of the report that showed the state's lagging economy.

"Why didn't he tell the public that there was a second half to that report?" he said. "It's one thing to interpret numbers to suit one's political advantage, but it's another thing when those statements hurt the economic development efforts of this state."

But a spokeswoman for Stevenson said if anyone's been irresponsible, it's Thompson. Terry Stephan said the governor should have released the report long ago.

"Things that are unflattering tend to end up in bottom drawers," she said. "It's irresponsible to sit on information."

Hedges said both parts of the Fantus report would have been released within a few weeks anyway, but the governor's office decided to release them early to clear the air.

He said the report was a preliminary part of preparing next year's update on the five-year DCCA economic development plan.

"Our target here was to release a five-year economic plan around the time of the State of the State or the budget message in the spring," he said.

The report was commissioned by DCCA in August 1985 at a cost of \$11,825.

The Fantus report said job growth in Illinois from 1972 to 1985 rose only by 9 percent, to 4.7 million jobs from 4.3 million. At the same time, the national growth rate was 32 percent.

"Perhaps most distressing of all, the number of Illinois jobs peaked in 1979 at 4.88 million, and in great contrast to the very healthy post-1983 U.S. economy, (the state) has not yet fully recovered from the recession of the early 1980s," it said.

The Fantus firm said it had rec-

ommended communities in 45 states to industrial clients between 1980 and 1985. Most of them did not choose Illinois.

Fantus cited several "knockout factors" that eliminated Illinois at the onset. Among them were the absence of a right-to-work law and the belief that operating costs would be higher in Illinois than elsewhere.

Among the cost factors cited were labor and fringe benefits, unemployment insurance, workers' compensation, construction costs and business taxes, and the "Sun Belt" companies selected Illinois only 2 percent of the time, the report said.

And the report conceded that labor costs in particular make the Midwest as a whole less attractive to many firms than the South and Southwest.

"Examining all of the Fantus cases during the past 10 years in which manufacturing companies considered Illinois and the 'Sun Belt' companies selected Illinois only 2 percent of the time," the report said.

But when industries looked at Illinois and other Midwestern locations, the consultants said, the picture is brighter.

"Fantus finds that Illinois does win a representative number of final site selections if the cost structure of the industry or the desire to serve a regional market prescribes a Midwestern Great Lakes state location," the report said.

Fantus said financial incentives offered by state and local government come into play in regional site selection, and especially with the Build Illinois program in place, Illinois' incentives are competitive.

But it said Illinois needs to do more to further its economic development in light of changing economic conditions.

"Many action steps have already been incorporated in the governor's 1986 legislative agenda," the report said.

Stamps mishandled

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the local office nor had benefits been restored. The GAO found no record that the local office had been notified of the error or that the state had monitored the local office to determine if it re-evaluated the case and restored benefits.

GAO auditors said they were told by Illinois officials that the state's food stamp manual does not require local offices to report corrective actions on improper denials or terminations because the state has emphasized eliminating and collecting overpayments, not restoring lost benefits.

Pittman said the GAO is "in business to find any procedural weaknesses" in the systems of the different states.

"And, in fact, if we have those we will take steps to correct them," Pittman said.

Pittman said the sampling

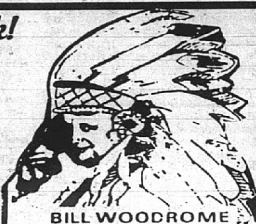
"probably did uncover some areas in our policy manual instructions that could be improved."

Czerwinski said one of the reasons Illinois was included in the GAO study is because it is one of the largest dispensers of food stamps. About 1.1 million Illinoisans receive about \$56 million in benefits monthly, or nearly \$700 million in benefits yearly. The federal government, through the U.S. Department of Agriculture, pays all of the costs of the benefits and about half of the states' administrative costs.

Czerwinski said the Illinois findings are part of a continuing study of food stamp denials requested by Rep. Leon Panetta, D-Calif., chairman of a House subcommittee that has jurisdiction over the USDA's Food and Nutrition Service that administers the program.

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TWO DRIVERS INJURED AT PONTON BEACH
Mary Ann Jackson, 17, of 2248 Bern Ave., sustained an injury in a Nov. 7 three-car accident and was taken by ambulance to St. Elizabeth Medical Center.

Also hurt and taken by ambulance to the medical center was Christopher W. Patton, 37, of 4201 E. Lake Drive, Pontoon Beach, whose auto, heading east on Pontoon Road, apparently crossed over the center line at Vine Boulevard, striking the Jackson car head-on, reports said.

The third vehicle involved was a westbound Checker Cab operated by Christopher S. Jackson, 23, of 1634 Second St., Madison, which struck the rear of Mary Ann Jackson's auto.

Patton was charged with improper lane usage.

INTERSECTION COLLISION
Elissa B. Morehen, 25, of 2559 Statist, sustained an injury Nov. 7 and went to St. Elizabeth Medical Center after her auto and a vehicle operated by Jocelyn A. Harper, 33, 2019 Beckwith Ave., Madison, were involved in a collision at 20th Street and Madison Avenue. Harper also went to the medical center, reports said.

WARRANTS ARE SERVED
Johnny Smith, 34, of 3712 Kirkpatrick Homes, was arrested Nov. 7 on an active warrant issued through Peoria County, Ill., alleging failure to pay child support, and second warrant alleging failure to appear on a charge of driving while his license was revoked.

SUITCASE, CLOTHING GONE
A large suitcase containing clothing items and a woman's grey wool coat were stolen Nov. 7 from the auto of Florence Tatosian, 743 Niedringhaus Ave., which was parked outside the address. A window was broken to gain entry into the car.

MOBILE HOME BURGLARY
A color television valued at \$159, about \$5 in coins and a quantity of meat from a freezer with an estimated value of \$80 were taken in a Nov. 7 burglary at the home of Debby Willyard, 2012 Illinois Ave. The front door of the mobile home was forced open and drawers in the dwelling were searched by the intruder, she said.

5 AUTOS ON LOT DAMAGED
Five autos were damaged by a vandal who scratched fenders and doors on the vehicles parked on a lot at Granite Chrysler-Plymouth, 19th Street and Grand Avenue, Nov. 7.

SHOTGUN FIRED AT HOUSE
A shotgun was discharged at the residence of Jerome Hopac, 2841 Pershing Blvd., about 11:20 p.m. Nov. 7, he reported. A window frame and the aluminum siding were damaged, with several small holes in evidence.

OWNER SMOTHERS BLAZING CAR BY WIELDING BLANKET
Alerted by a neighbor that his car was on fire, Ron Hawthorn, 1404 Kirkpatrick Homes, ran across Nameoki Road to the Plaza Landromat lot and smothered the blaze with a blanket at 5:20 p.m. Nov. 7.

Hawthorn said his 1979 Thunderbird was parked on the corner of the lot next to the street and flames were coming from the right front area of the car when he arrived.

A small beer bottle with a scorched rag stuffed inside it, reeking of gasoline, was found near the vehicle and it appeared a combustible liquid had been spilled on the auto.

WOMAN STRUCK IN FACE
Daniel W. Thompson, 26, of 112 Wilson Park Lane, was arrested at 5:15 a.m. Nov. 8 for battery after he allegedly struck his wife, Tammy, in the face with his fist.

2 WARRANTS SERVED HERE
Samuel L. Pace, 27, of Grafton, was arrested Nov. 7 at the Granite City police station on two warrants, alleging criminal property damage and criminal trespass.

ARRESTED FOR CONTEMPT
James F. White, 32, of 738 E. Chain of Rocks Road, was arrested Nov. 7 at the City Hall in Granite City on a warrant alleging contempt (failure to appear for a hearing). He was released on \$300 cash bail.

INJURED AT 6TH-MADISON
The autos of Donald Grimes, 2912 Forest Ave., and Molly Tyler, 713 Third St., Venice, collided Oct. 28 at Sixth Street and Madison Avenue. Tyler was taken by ambulance to St. Elizabeth Medical Center.

ROBBERS TAKE TWO RADIOS
A stereo radio and a 40-channel citizens band radio were taken by armed robbers from the car of Jonathan Weakley of St. Louis. The auto had broken down on Illinois 3 near Bissell Street, Madison, Oct. 28. Weakley told police he fell asleep in the car and woke up when two men threatened him with a gun and told him to remove the radios. The pair fled on foot.

ELECTRIC TYPEWRITER GONE
Two electronic calculators and a portable electric typewriter were taken from the office of the Madison County Housing Authority in Madison Oct. 27.

THREE WOMEN BOOKED FOR TRUCK PLAZA TRESPASSING
Three women were arrested for criminal trespassing on land at the Gateway Midstate Truck Plaza, Madison, on Oct. 29 at 3:41 a.m.

Willella Johnson, 31, and Yolanda Williams, 24, both of St. Louis, each posted \$100 cash bail and was released. Marveta Goodlow, 40, of East St. Louis, was transferred to the St. Clair County Jail.

ARRESTED ON 2 WARRANTS
Cecil Tinnon, 25, of 1200 Rhodes St., Madison, was arrested Oct. 29 at 12th Street and Madison Avenue, Madison, for driving with a suspended license. He also was booked on a Madison warrant alleging driving while under the influence of alcohol, and on a Granite City warrant for driving while his license was suspended. He was released on \$600 cash bail.

LICENSE CHARGE FILED
Anthony Rodriguez, 31, of East St. Louis, was arrested on the parking lot of Greater Homes, Madison, Oct. 28 for having no valid driving license. He posted \$102 bail.

GUNS STOLEN
John Bisto, 1529 Fourth St., Madison, reported two rifles and a .12 gauge shotgun, valued at a total of \$800, were stolen from his home Oct. 27.

INJURED IN 2-CAR CRASH
Daniel Cotes, of Edwardsville, was taken by ambulance to St. Elizabeth Medical Center after being injured in an accident on McCasland Avenue near Farish Street. The other driver, Lonn Crews of 3813 Village Lane, escaped injury.

FIRE BADLY DAMAGES HOME
The home of Pam Dymas, 1714 Edwardsville Road, was damaged by fire at 10:38 p.m. Oct. 24. Madison firefighters were at the scene until 12:38 a.m. The cause of the fire is unknown but damage to the frame dwelling was extensive.

THREE MEN CHARGED WITH POSSESSION OF CANNABIS
Jeffery A. Waters, 18, of 3905 Kirkpatrick Homes, Kenneth G. Householder, 22, of 403 Kirkpatrick, and David A. Stark, 18, of 2801 Kirkpatrick, were charged Nov. 10 with unlawful possession of cannabis.

Haltting Stark's auto at Hodges Avenue and Charles Street, they alleged seeing Waters, Householder and Stark each holding a cannabis cigarette. Authorities also said they found 11 cannabis cigarettes in Stark's jacket pocket.

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If you serve intoxicating liquor to a friend, can you later be held liable if an accident occurs as a result of the friend's intoxication? This question sometimes arises when an individual is planning on hosting a party and is concerned about accidents that may occur on the way home as a result of a guest's intoxication. The only remedy provided by Illinois law for people injured after being served liquor is under the Dram Shop Act. However, the Dram Shop Act does not apply to persons who are not in any way engaged in liquor traffic. The Dram Shop Act is designed to regulate businesses which sell liquor for a profit. It does not provide for liability for people who serve a social drinker without any expectation of monetary gain. A recent case will help illustrate the intent of the legislature in enacting the Dram Shop Act. In this case, the plaintiff was a minor and was employed by a produce company. The plaintiff completed his work shift the morning, and the owner of the produce company then invited the plaintiff to drink beer with him on the premises. After consuming several beers, the minor employee got in his car to drive home and had an ac-

cident when he lost control of his vehicle. The plaintiff sustained severe and permanent injuries as well as disfigurement as a result of the accident.

The plaintiff filed suit against the produce company and the owner of the business individually based on a theory of negligence. The injured party alleged that the owner of the business should be liable for his injuries since he served intoxicating liquor to a minor who lacked the maturity to refrain from drinking. The trial court dismissed the plaintiff's complaint, and the case was taken on appeal.

The Appellate Court affirmed the decision of the trial court, and refused to find the owner of the business or the produce company itself liable for the injuries of the young employee. The Court noted that the employer did not receive any compensation for the alcohol which was served nor was he in the business of selling intoxicating liquors. The Appellate Court felt that since the defendant's action was a mere act of courtesy without any expectation of profit, he could not be held responsible for injuries sustained by an employee, even if the worker was a minor.

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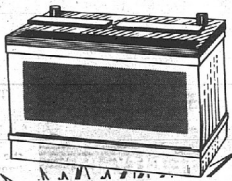
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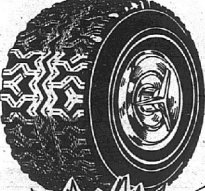
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A. There are a lot of good ways to cut your taxes all year long. Next time you're in your bank, stop by and talk with one of the officers about the plans available. There is one way that really eases the April 15 pain, and that is through plans which defer taxes. Series EE U.S. Savings Bonds are one tax deferred method. Interest on bonds aren't taxable until they are paid. Another very good method of delaying tax payments, while building up a solid cash reserve, is through investment in a Keogh or Individual Retirement Account. The problem is, many people put off contributing to a Keogh or IRA until it is tax time. They, therefore, lose all the interest their money could have been earning all through the year.

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School news



First-place winners

PUMPKIN COSTUMES worn by 6-week-old Victoria Poplichak and her grandmother, Mae Hendrickson, captured the top prize at the Madison Senior Citizens dinner dance and Halloween parade. The event was held at the Madison Recreation Center. Dorothy Vasiloff received second place, dressed as a ghost, and Adam Prusak, costumed as a priest, was awarded third place.

Students to hear history of flag

Blair School students will learn the facts of the Stars and Stripes during a presentation about the history of the U.S. flag by Bill Wunderlich on Friday, Nov. 14, at 1:30 p.m. in the all-purpose room.

Wunderlich, a vice president at Daniel and Henry Insurance Co., became a fan of history at the age of 15. His father gave him a copy of Gen. Omar Bradley's autobiography to read while he was bedridden for a year with polio. From that time on, Wunderlich says, he has been "hooked" on history.

Little known facts and popular misconceptions will be shared by Wunderlich with the students. Members of the community also are invited to attend.

Frohardt hears fire prevention program

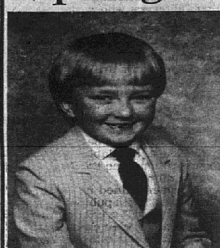
The Frohardt School PTA held a monthly meeting with Mrs. Nancy Balweg, president, presiding. After a flag presentation by Cub Scout Pack 22 and a business meeting, a fire prevention program was presented by Terry Suhre.

A Granite City fireman, Suhre explained each item of protective clothing worn by firemen as he dressed a volunteer.

He stressed the importance of having a smoke alarm in the home, as fires in homes represent 80 percent of all deaths from fires, many the result of smoke inhalation.

Suhre then presented a film, "Countdown to Disaster." The PTA adjourned to the cafeteria for refreshments provided by the sixth grade mothers.

District 9 Spotlight



Christopher Fiala, a Frohardt grade school student in Shirley Johnson's second grade class, was the first at Frohardt to read 100 books.

Truman Scholarship offered at university

Students at the sophomore level at SIUE who are interested in careers in government service may qualify for a Harry S. Truman Scholarship. Congress established the Harry S. Truman Scholarship Foundation in 1973 to provide opportunities for outstanding U.S. students with leadership ability who are preparing for careers in government service. The Foundation will award more than 105 scholarships nationally next April. The University will be permitted to nominate three students for the 1986 competition. The scholarship covers expenses up to \$6,500 per year for the junior and senior years, and two years of graduate study.

To qualify, students must be full-time sophomores working toward a bachelor's degree, have a "B" grade point average or the equivalent, stand in the upper fourth of their class, and be a U.S. citizen or national.

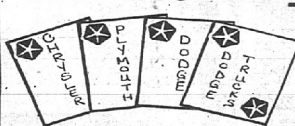
Deadline for application is Dec. 1, 1986. Interested students may contact Don F. McCabe, associate professor of government and public affairs at the university, by calling 662-3475 this week.

Normandy high class plans 50th reunion

The 1937 graduating class at Normandy High School, St. Louis, is planning a 50-year reunion next summer. Organizational meetings will start in the near future.

Area residents graduating from Normandy High in 1937 are invited to call Dorothy (Chapman) Gavin of Granite City at 877-1334 for further information.

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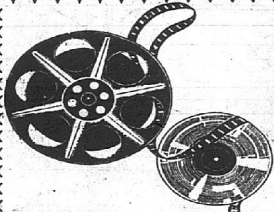


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Educator is forum speaker

A tribute to higher education in the St. Louis region is planned at a Town Hall Forum on Tuesday, Dec. 2, at Marriott's Pavilion Hotel.

Keynote speaker for the RCGA-sponsored event is Dr. David P. Gardner, president of the University of California, who was recently named third most influential education leader in the public sector in a poll of public college and university presidents.

Co-sponsors are Missourians for Higher Education and Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville.

The event will start with a reception at 11:30 a.m. and lunch at 12 noon.

Tickets are \$20 per person. Tables of 10 are available for \$200. For reservations, the RCGA can be called at 231-5555.

Gardner gained national recognition in 1983 with publishing of "A Nation at Risk," a critical look at the problems of elementary and secondary education in the U.S., prepared by an 18-member federal Commission on Excellence in Education which he chaired.

Gardner was the president of the University of Utah for 10 years before he became president of the University of California in July 1983. He was vice president of the UC system from 1971 to 1973.

A native of Berkeley, Gardner received his bachelor degree in political science from Brigham Young University. He was awarded a master degree in political science and a Ph.D. in higher education from the University of California at Berkeley.

He has numerous publications to his credit. His principal work is a scholarly study of the loyalty oath disputes in the University of California in the 1950s. In addition, he has written and spoken extensively on excellence in education.

"A Nation at Risk" sold 12 million copies.

The National Commission on Excellence in Education called for numerous changes, including merit pay for teachers, longer school days and years, and more emphasis on what it called the "new basics" of English, mathematics, science, social studies and computer science.

Educators and state political leaders say the document, whose principal findings were embraced and widely publicized by President Reagan, had the effect of making education reform into a national political issue — and providing critical political support for packages then being considered by state legislatures and local school boards.

In recent years, virtually every state legislature or board of education has made changes in the name of reform.



Art and ads

CLASS PROJECTS AD UP. Several projects in this semester's advertising art class at the Granite City Campus of Belleville Area College have been to publicize various campus activities. Class members, standing in front of some of their works, include (from left) Janice Camren, Tim Rothe and Randy Feltmeyer, all of Granite City, instructor Margie Joffe, and Mike Carney of Litchfield.

(BAC photo by Ed Sede)

Kusmierczak is designated as a Bowdoin scholar

Five students from Illinois have been designated as James Bowdoin Scholars at Bowdoin College, Brunswick, Maine. They include a Granite Citian, Stephen Kusmierczak Jr., of 2601 Iowa St., a member of the class of 1989.

They were among 231 undergraduates accorded recognition for distinguishing themselves in scholarship by College President A. LeRoy Gresson during traditional James Bowdoin Day exercises Oct. 24. Held annually, the ceremonies honor James Bowdoin III, who was the earliest patron of the college and was instrumental in its founding in 1794.

Bowdoin is a liberal arts college of 1,350 students, 25 miles north of Portland, Maine, offering 22 departmental majors and several interdisciplinary programs. Bowdoin is rated by Barron's "Profiles of American Colleges" as one of the most competitive colleges in the country.

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Obituaries

Gass

Valeria M. (Zak) Gass, 62, of 3024 Salsbury Ave., Ill. for four years, was pronounced dead at her home at 12:35 a.m. Wednesday, Nov. 12, 1986, by Randall Irwin, Madison County county coroner.

She was born in Little Falls, Minn., and lived here for 27 years. Mrs. Gass was a member of St. Margaret Mary Catholic church and formerly worked for Maryland Bi-Rite Grocery Store for 11 years as a checker. She retired in 1976.

She and her husband, William Gass, who survives, were married June 15, 1946, in Milwaukee, Wis. Other survivors include one daughter, Mrs. Larry (Gloria) Puch of Rosewood Heights; three sons, Donald Gass of Troy, Ill.; William Gass Jr. of Mitchell and Thomas R. Gass of Granite City; two sisters, Mrs. Bob (Lorraine) Bergstrom of Sun City, Ariz., and Mrs. Richard (Gloria) Englund of Milwaukee; her mother, Mrs. Nettie Zak of Milwaukee; and eight grandchildren.

Visitation will begin at 3 p.m. Friday at Thomas Memorial Mortuary, 2205 Pontoon Road, where a prayer service will be held at 7 p.m. Friday. Burial will be at 10 a.m. Saturday at St. Margaret Mary Catholic Church, 1900 St. Clair Ave., with burial at Valley View Cemetery, Edwardsville. Memorials suggested are in the name of St. Margaret Mary Catholic Church, 1900 St. Clair Ave., with burial at Valley View Cemetery, Edwardsville. Memorials suggested are in the name of St. Margaret Mary Catholic Church, 1900 St. Clair Ave., with burial at Valley View Cemetery, Edwardsville.

Horton

Herbert W. Horton, 96, of Troy, Ill., formerly of Granite City, died at 6:45 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 11, 1986, at Oaklawn Anderson Hospital, Edwardsville.

He was born Jan. 2, 1888, in Macon County, Ill., and lived in this area most of his life, moving to Troy six years ago.

Mr. Horton worked as a farmer, later was employed by National Stockyards, and retired from Monsanto Chemical Co. He was a member of Calvary Baptist Church in Granite City and the Christian Fellowship of Troy.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Mable (Cassidy) Horton, in 1981 and a son, Vernon Horton, who died in 1943 while in the armed services in World War II.

Survivors include two other sons, Virgil Horton, Atlanta, Ga., and Velmar Horton, Edwardsville; three daughters, Mrs. Harry (Verna) Morris, Granite City, and Valeria Horton and Mrs. Amos (Viola) Sexton, both of Troy; eight grandchildren, 12 great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild.

Visitation will begin at 4:30 p.m. today at Laughlin Funeral Home, 205 Edwardsville Road, Troy, Ill., where 11 a.m. services will be conducted Friday by the Rev. Glen Graham. Burial will be at McInturff Cemetery, Mulberry Grove, Ill.

Reutebuch

Harold D. Reutebuch, 64, of 2133 Benton St., died at 7:35 a.m. Wednesday, Nov. 12, 1986, in the emergency room of St. Joseph Hospital in Breese, Ill. He was visiting his summer place when he

Grassroots

Upcoming meetings of Quad-City Area governmental taxing bodies include:

- Venice School Board, 7 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 13, Broadway and Seventh Street, Venice.
- Venice Park Board, 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 13, 323 Broadway, Venice.

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was stricken and taken to the hospital.

Born in Kokomo, Ind., he lived in this area for 40 years. Mr. Reutebuch worked for Union Electric Co. at the Venice power plant for 30 years in the maintenance department and retired in 1962.

He was of the Protestant faith and was a lieutenant in the U.S. Navy Reserve, having served during the Korean war.

Survivors include two sons, Rick Reutebuch of St. Peters, Mo., and Dennis Reutebuch of Granite City; one daughter, Mrs. David (Vicki) Douglas, Granite City; and six grandchildren.

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Rice

Ralph H. Rice, 69, of Collinsville, formerly of Granite City, died at 8:30 p.m. Monday, Nov. 10, 1986, at Memorial Hospital in Belleville.

A retired steelworker, Mr. Rice was born Aug. 20, 1917, in Granite City.

He was preceded in death by a daughter, Laurie, and a sister, Alice Worthen.

Survivors include his wife, Dorothy (Greenlee) Rice; one son, Richard Rice, St. Peters, Mo.; two daughters, Jeanene Craig, Cape Girardeau, and Dorothy A. Rice, Collinsville; one brother, James Rice, Collinsville; four sisters, Irene Gray, Wilma Rice, Ruth Jones and JoAnn Jarrett, all of Granite City; and eight grandchildren.

Father Jack Quilligan read a 10 a.m. Mass today at Mother of Perpetual Help Church, Maryville, with burial at Calvary Cemetery, Edwardsville. Arrangements were by Herbert A. Kassidy Funeral Home, 515 Vandalla St., Collinsville.

Leo Hoefle, 93, dies; father of GC woman

Leo O. Hoefle, 93, of Highland, father of Mrs. John (Blanche) Ritchie of Granite City, died Monday, Nov. 10, 1986, at 12:50 p.m. at St. Elizabeth Medical Center.

Mr. Hoefle started working as a barber in 1910 and owned a barber shop in Highland from 1930 until he retired about five years ago.

A lifelong resident of Highland, he was a member of the Evangelical United Church of Christ in Highland. Other survivors include one sister, Milda Dickerson of Western Springs, Ill.; two granddaughters and four great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Gertrude E. (Klein) Hoefle, on Jan. 26, 1986, and by five brothers and one sister.

The Rev. Jerry Brown officiated at 11 a.m. services today at Spengel-Boulienger Funeral Home, Highland, with burial in Highland City Cemetery.

Board to meet at GCC

The Board of Trustees of Belleville Area College will meet at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 19, at the Granite City Campus, 4960 Maryville Road, for a regular board meeting.

Japanese

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Summerstage

"SLEEPING BEAUTY" will be presented by Summerstage at the Star Theatre this Saturday and Sunday and again on Nov. 22. All performances will be at 2 p.m. In a scene from the play is Lisa Fensterman, who plays a fairy; Laura Vance, the nurse; and Julie Barnes, another fairy. Behind them is Jim Fensterman who plays the King. Tickets for the three performances will be available at the door.

(Photo by Buddy Boritz)

Developer

One firm visits, talks of downtown

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of Tax Increment Financing (TIF). With TIF, Orbals said, the city will receive sales taxes on money spent in the development area to go into a renovation fund.

ALSO PLANNED is \$4 million in public improvements for existing downtown areas and buildings, Orbals said.

Holloway explained that his bank and First Granite City Savings and Loan, Central Bank, State Loan and Savings and Madison County Federal Savings and Loan have committed a total of \$1 million for downtown renovation.

"We're excited about the prospects for the downtown area," Holloway said.

ORSEY SAID his council has the downtown project, along with annexation, as its top priority.

"We don't look at this as a pipe dream," Orsey said.

Perjak said the council had been working on the downtown project for several years. She said she is pleased at the number of people who have volunteered to help with the project.

"THE WHOLE city sees a need," Perjak said.

Bush said the chamber is interested in both the industrial and retail development of the city. He identified several tracts of land for industrial development, including Northgate Industrial Park on Illinois 3.

Bush also identified auto parts manufacturers and businesses that would use steel from Granite City Steel as viable industries for the area.

"I think we've put together a pretty complete package," Spoeneman said.

However, Spoeneman said the city would need more to attract shoppers than just stores alone. He said St. Clair Square's attraction is due to other reasons than just a wide variety of stores.

He said such developments as Laclede's Landing and Union Station in St. Louis had an "economic and financing environment."

"We're not looking at this (development) on a short-term basis," Cruse said.

Japanese

They're interested in Granite City

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groups and universities such as SIUE is important during visits by potential developers.

"You never know what is going to trigger a decision. A variety of people will be able to address all subjects," he said.

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Venice

Street work could have been better

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Logan Street and seemed to run short of rocks in the 1000 block. Some of the streets were done really nice, while two or three should have been done over as there was too much oil," the alderman said.

VALENTINE SAID some sections of the streets were chipped with orange-colored rocks while white rocks were used on others.

"If they (contractors) say they did it well, I disagree," the alderman said.

"I'll sure take a look at the work," Juneau said, noting that two different contractors were involved in the oiling and chipping work. Piasa Fuel handled the oiling and Trans Trucking hauled in the rock, he said.

HE EXPLAINED the procedure in resurfacing those specific streets, with the chipping truck following the oil spreader.

The engineer said that when a sharp rise was forecast in the river, where Meramee gravel (orange rock) is obtained, it was decided to purchase the white rock to supplement the supply.

"Most of this problem is coordination between the oil contractor and the rock contractor," Juneau said.

SOME WORK could not be completed on a specific street at one point due to parked vehicles, which required the trucks to bypass that section, Mayor Tyrone Echols said.

Police Chief Farris Smith said there was a problem getting people to move their cars, even though officers notified residents for four days in areas where work was to be done.

"I think we were very lucky with the weather to get this job done at this time of the year," the engineer added.

In other action, the council adopted a resolution allocating \$53,000 in motor fuel tax funds to maintain the city's streets and highways from Jan. 1, 1987, to Dec. 31, 1987.

Funeral services

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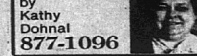
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Madison-Venice

News by Kathy Dohnal 877-1096



St. Mary's PTA held its monthly meeting at the school cafeteria. Sister Mary John Pupava opened the meeting with prayer and President Donna Dorris presided.

Mary Lou Rogenski announced plans to hold a skating party at the Skate Center in Poston Beach on the third Thursday of every month from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m.

Plans were made for the 11th annual Snowman's Ball to be held at St. Mary's Engelbert Hall on Dec. 6. Tickets are \$8 per person and are available at the church rectory.

Internationally, with catering by Voloski's. Dinner will be at 7 and dancing at 8:30 p.m.

Plans were agreed to provide a Weekly Reader to all classes, kindergarten to eighth grade, for the school year. Donna Hoover reported on smoke alarms for the classrooms and will contact the city for help in installing them.

Chairman Gerry Mendez announced a Taste Festival and Hobby Auction to be held on Wednesday, Nov. 19, at the school cafeteria at 6 p.m. Cost is \$3. The auctioneer will be Steve Ors.

Barb Petrosky gave a report on the school basketball team, and Bob and Steve Petrosky are coaches of the A team, with Jo Apida as coach of the B team. The six cheerleaders will be coached by Patricia Petrosky. Refreshments were served by the first grade room mothers.

Valerie Brinker, daughter of Larry and Delores Brinker, 1015 Alton Ave., Madison, was recently honored on Senior Night at the last volleyball game of the year at Marquette High School in Alton.

She received roses and her letter for being on the Marquette Explorers team for four years. She also writes for the school newspaper and is on the yearbook staff. Valerie is a member of St. Mary's Church in Madison.

The Lydia Sunday School Class of First Baptist Church in Madison held a hayride on Chouteau Island, and later a wiener roast was enjoyed around a bonfire.

Those attending were the Rev. and Mrs. Verlin Smith, Frank and Norma Eaves, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Redman, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Larson, Mr. and Mrs. L.D. Williams, Marge and Theresa Thomas and guests, Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Barr.

The 10th birthday of Krista Ballew, daughter of Rich and Paula Ballew, 2037 McCasland Ave., was observed at a family party. After dinner were her sisters, Amber and Tiffany, and grandmothers, Lucille Broadway and Jean Elders. Krista is in the fifth grade at St. Mary's.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Baczewski, of 1717 Elizabeth St., celebrated their 40th wedding anniversary. The couple were married on Nov. 8, 1946, at St. Mary's Church in Madison.

Mrs. Baczewski is the former Angelina "Nellie" Bisto. They are the parents of Cindy Baczewski of Madison and Frank of Dallas, Texas. They have a granddaughter, Emily, Frank and his wife, Cindy, celebrated their 25th anniversary on Nov. 9.

Rosalie "Sis" Butler of 1733 Third St. became a great-grandmother for the first time on Oct. 31. Her granddaughter and husband, Maureen and Larry Kennison, of Granite City, are the parents of a son weighing 7

pounds, 14 ounces, who has been named Samuel.

The first Greenhall reunion was held on Nov. 8, with Eleanor Kania welcoming everyone and Stanley Myrda giving a history of Greenhall. The ball was opened in 1950 as the Rumanian Club, and in 1935 Tony Voloski became the owner. In 1942, Fred and Arnold Zarkly took over. The new owner was Pee Wee Postawko in 1946. The last owner was Pete Planitz, starting in 1954.

Attending were Leona Besserman Voloski, daughter-in-law of Tony Voloski, and Rose Mary Chandler and Lorraine Wasylak, daughters of Pee Wee Postawko.

There were 200 attending and a date of Oct. 10, 1987, was selected for the second reunion.

There were guests from Madison, Granite City, Columbia, Fairview Heights, East St. Louis, Cahokia, Collinsville, Belleville, Venice, Millstadt, Marion, Chesterfield, Affton and Crestwood.

Former Twister dance members present were Art Stawar, John Severine, Frank Spohr, Al Nowak and present members Frank Gabala, Mike Wilfinger and original members Chester Kopac and Stanley Lata.

A surprise 30th birthday party was held for Randy Steele, 1812 Fifth St., at the home of Al and Ernie Ruessing.

Guests included Joanne Steele, Laura and Mark Gueshner, Liz Rogenski, Kevin Fowler, Tom and Janet Gordon, Phil and Julie Gordon, Paul Barrington, Henry Mulek, Steve and Mary Lou Dohnal, Mark Ruessing, Rita DeRuntz, Bob Dittman, Mark and Mary Whitehead, Denise Neimeyer, Charles Brinza and Betsy Barrington.

A birthday celebration was held for Sophie and Leszek of Madison and her son-in-law, John Gagic II of Troy, Ill., at the Olive Garden Restaurant in Florissant. Attending were Edward and Helen Gagic, Linda and Sharon Gagic, and grandson, Bryon Christopher Gagic, six months old.

Sharon and Leszek also celebrated their 10th wedding anniversary on Nov. 6. Mrs. Gagic is the second grade teacher at St. Mary's School in Madison.

A party was held for the 11th birthday of Elizabeth Owca, daughter of Ellen and Harvey Owca, on Nov. 7. A "Little Miss" theme was used.

Attending were brother Matthew and sister, Laura, grandparents Bill and Mary Ann Czerwinski, and Wilma and Stanley Owca, adopted great-grandmother Josephine Czerwinski, aunt and uncle Curtis and Shana and their son, Timmy, and aunt and uncle Jean and Bill Weidner and their daughter, Deann.

Elizabeth was treated to a family outing of shopping and dinner on Saturday. She is a student at Parkview School in Granite City.

Samantha Lynn Cicio, daughter of Jerry and Beverly Cicio of Venice, was baptized on Sunday, Nov. 8, at St. Joseph's Church in Granite City. Father Bill Farkle conducted the ceremony. Godparents were Jim and Betty Cromer of Madison. A dinner was held following the christening at the parents' home.

Those attending were sister Leslie and brother Jerry, grandparents Ann Cicio and Jim and Mrs. William May and Jim and Tommy Cromer, Bernard and Pat Cicio and daughter, Sunny Jo, Tom and Pat McCoskey and daughter, Tina, Sharon and John Gagic and son, Bryon, Toni Cromer, Pat and Babette Meehan and daughter, Tara, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Soboda and children, Pam, Lisa and Rich, and Sister Barbara Hornkamp from Mount Providence School in Normandy, Mo., former principal of St. Mary's School in Madison.

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Sports
Comment

By Gregg Ochoa

The Warrior
Factor is
soccer lore

The state soccer championship remained in the southern part of the state for another year.

While it wasn't the Warriors who stood on top of the mountain, it was another Southwestern Conference team — the Collinsville Kahoks.

The Tribe outlasted Libertyville in four overtimes to win its second state crown. The Warriors still hold the overall mark with seven state championships since 1972.

Call it the "Warrior factor." Granite City still carries a lot of weight in soccer circles. The Warriors may not be as dominant as they were in the '70s, but they usually influence the outcome.

In 13 of the 15 Illinois High School Association state tournaments, the team that beat a Granite City team either won the title or finished second.

In the first tournament held at Illinois State in 1972, Granite City Community High School beat New Trier West 2-1 in overtime to win the first state title.

In 1973, South (in Gene Baker's first year) advanced to the semifinals before losing to Morton East in penalty kicks. Morton East finished second in the state, losing to Chicago Harrison.

The state tournament was expanded to eight teams in 1974, and Granite City North was this area's representative. The Steelers bowed out in the quarterfinals to New Trier West, who went on to win the title over Wheaton Central.

And the Warrior Factor was born.

In 1975, Hinsdale South beat the Warriors in the quarterfinals en route to their first state title.

The year was 1976 when the Warriors won the first of five consecutive state titles under Baker and began rewriting the state record books.

In 1981, The Tribe stopped the Warriors' string with a win in the sectionals. Soccer fans in the north rejoiced, but Collinsville went on to win the title.

The Warrior Factor was alive. South regained its top notch in 1982, as the Warriors put together a 36-2 season and won their sixth state championship in seven years.

The city's two high schools were merged in 1983, but the soccer tradition kept rolling. Now just Granite City, the Warriors beat Collinsville 1-0 in penalty kicks for the sectional title.

The dream of repeating, however, ended when Glenbrook North beat the Warriors 1-0 on PKs in the quarterfinals. Glenbrook North went on to win the state title.

The Warrior Factor was snapped in 1985, Alton won the right to advance to the state quarterfinals, but the Redbirds lost to St. Joe, who finished fourth.

In 1985, Granite City was surprised in the regionals by Alton Marquette. The Explorers advanced to the sectional finals, but lost to Collinsville.

This year the Warrior Factor was reinstated. Granite City suffered a disheartening 1-0 loss to Collinsville last week and The Tribe won it all.

Perhaps it's true that when Granite City plays in a tournament game, for the other team it's like a state championship match.

Now that the soccer season is over, how about some unofficial awards?

● **Offensive Player of the Year:** This honor goes to Collinsville's Tim Johnson. He had several clutch goals during the year, including the one that won the state title.

● **Defensive Player of the Year:** Granite City's Dave DeRousse was, perhaps, the steadiest on defense. An all-state player, DeRousse started every game and was the glue of the "Grainite Wall" defense. Collinsville's Keith Brooke is also a top defender.

● **Players to watch:** Take your pick. The area's underclass talent is abundant. In Granite City, there are Troy Adamitis and John VanBuskirk, both of whom will be sophomores next year. In Collinsville, Joe Reiniger will be a junior next year. Belleville East's Corey Easton is another fine player.

● **Coach of the Year:** There are a number of fine candidates, but the nod here goes to Belleville's Larry Mark. The up-and-coming Crusaders finished the year at 12-4-3 and won a regional title. Althoff came within 1-22 of beating Collinsville in the sectional semifinals before falling 3-1 in overtime.

Skaters shooting
at top in MSCHABy Dave Whaley
Staff writer

GRANITE CITY — So you think the end of the soccer and football seasons means that high school sports were moving indoors for the winter?

Well, they are, but not totally. One varsity team at Granite City High School plays its games under a roof, but you better bring your overcoat just the same.

The Warrior hockey team is ready to begin another season in the Mid-States Club Hockey Association, and seventh-year head coach Garry Henson is hopeful of a big year.

"This should be a pretty good team," Henson said at practice Tuesday night at the Wilson Park ice rink. "We're only losing three players from last year's team, and we have 13 seniors available this year."

Those seniors are a big part of the Warrior team, which combined for a 35-9 record the last two seasons. The 1984-85 team was 19-3, losing in the league finals to perennial power DeSmet. Last year's team was 16-6, and they were upset in the first round of the playoffs by Hazelwood East.

"We've maintained a pretty good nucleus of talent from those teams, and we're contemplating a good season," Henson said. "I'd be very disappointed if we didn't win our division and then do very well in the playoffs."

The only players missing from last year's team are goalie Tim Schnefke, defenseman Billy Moore and forward Jon Roderick. Everyone else is back, including forward Tom Hinterser, this year's team captain. Hinterser is getting a look from some college hockey coaches.

The absence of Schnefke in the nets should be more than made up by the presence of Collins Harlan. Schnefke started last season as the team's No. 1 goaltender, but Harlan came on, and the two were splitting the duties by the end of the season.

"Collins really came on strong last year," Henson said. "He's at the point now where he should be one of the real good goalies in the league."

Harlan showed his stuff near the end of Tuesday's practice. Henson had all the players move in on a breakaway. If they scored, they got a rest. If they were stopped, it was two wind sprints around the ice.

Players were putting their best moves on Harlan, but he stopped a large percentage of the shots.

"That's a drill to break up the monotony of practice a little bit," Henson said. "Plus, one of the things that cost us some games last year was our inability to score on breakaways. This lets them work on that and also provides a little bit of competition."

Harlan will be backed up by Danny Robertson, a first-year goalie who played in the Warriors' exhibition game at the St. Louis Arena Nov. 2. Granite City lost to Francis Howell 7-4, but Henson came away with a good feeling.

"We were trying out a lot of new players," he said. "And Francis Howell was using most of their main guys. And we had Robertson playing his first game, and there we were at the Arena. That's kind of an awesome thing. We should do well against that team in the regular season."

The Hall of Fame Committee, which includes former District 9 Superintendent Frank Kraus, Board of Education Attorney William Schooley and Granite City Park Board Member Barry Loman, has held regular meetings at the park district office.

AT THE NOV. 4 board meeting,

a wooded area.

"Al has talked to me numerous times on a sports hall of fame. They are asking for the school board to join in on this. I thought we could support the idea," said Hogan, referring to a civic committee that wants to create the hall of fame.

"I think the idea has merit," said Board President Dewey Melton. But Melton said he was concerned about the district acquiring financial obligations if such a building is built.

Melton said the board may be able to offer some type of long-range lease agreement, but he did not want the district to be responsible for maintenance and other costs of a future building.

THE COMMITTEE has gained the



THE HOCKEY WARRIORS skated in all kinds of uniforms — including Blues jerseys — in a practice session at the Wilson Park Ice Rink Tuesday night. The season opener is Nov. 22.

(Staff photo by Dave Whaley)

GC Sports Hall of Fame gaining some support

By Dave Gonnell
Staff writer

GRANITE CITY — A Granite City resident, Al Barnes, is continuing his quest for a Sports Hall of Fame to be built in Granite City.

Two weeks ago, District 9 Board of Education Member Kelly Hogan, who is now board president, presented a letter from Barnes to board members asking that the school board officially support Barnes' efforts.

In the letter, Barnes requested that the school board agree to "loan" a piece of school property for a spot to build the hall of fame.

"THE PROPERTY is located east of the high school's Varsity Field in

the board agreed to support the "concept" of the Hall of Fame. Hogan was appointed to serve as the board's representative to the Hall of Fame Committee, which is headed by Barnes.

Barnes, who is a part-time sports columnist for the Press-Record/Journal, has been pursuing the Granite City Sports Hall of Fame idea for about three months.

The Hall of Fame Committee, which includes former District 9 Superintendent Frank Kraus, Board of Education Attorney William Schooley and Granite City Park Board Member Barry Loman, has held regular meetings at the park district office.

THE COMMITTEE has gained the

support of the Park Board, which contributed \$500 "seed" money and use of office space, and Granite City Mayor Von Dee Cruise, who appointed three Granite City Council members to work with the committee.

Granite City architect Henry Gabriel has agreed to draw up building plans without charge, Barnes said.

Gabriel presented the board a "thumbnail" sketch of a proposed building design for the Hall of Fame.

BARNES SAID donations will be sought and fund-raisers held to pay for the cost of a building.

Kraus told board members, "This is not going to cost the school district money."

Kraus said the committee would not act on any proposals without approval of the school board.

The committee also plans to induct 50 to 100 into the Hall of Fame soon, Barnes said.

"AS IT STANDS right now, every committee member has promised (to submit) 10 nominees for the first class of inductees," Barnes said.

After the inductees are named, a dinner will be held in their honor, he said.

Barnes said Granite City has had many outstanding athletes who could be inducted. He mentioned Granite City native Dal Maxwell, who played for the St. Louis baseball Cardinals for many years and now is the team's general manager.

Honors roll in for Adamitis, DeRousse

By Dave Whaley
Staff writer

Despite a disappointing ending to the season, the individual honors continue to roll in for the soccer Warriors.

Garnering the most accolades are senior fullbacks Todd Adamitis and Dave DeRousse. Both of them were named to the Illinois Coaches Association all-state team. In addition, Adamitis was named to the Chicago Tribune's all-state team and also the National Coaches Association's all-America team.

The pair was also honored this week as the only two Warriors on the all-Southwestern Conference team.

DeRousse and Adamitis are perfect compliments to each other. Adamitis is the flashy one, boldly moving up on offense and flying through the air. He led Granite City with nine goals this year and signs assists. DeRousse is Mr. Steady on the back line, staying back to lead the Warriors' "Grainite Wall" defense. He had one goal this year.

"Todd is a great player in the air, while Dave stays back and makes fewer mistakes," said coach Gene Baker. "I just wish



TERRIFIC TWOSOME: Todd Adamitis (left) and Dave DeRousse.

(Staff photo by Gregg Ochoa)

David had made the all-America team as well, but the college coaches know about him. He's been heavily recruited."

Clemson and Indiana, two of the powers in NCAA Division I soccer, are after DeRousse. He and Adamitis are making a trip to

Wright State (Ohio) this weekend for a visit. They both said they would prefer to play college ball away from home.

If Adamitis and DeRousse look like they have been playing together for a long time, it's because they have.

"We were both 4 years old when we first played together on a team," Adamitis said. "Dave's dad was coaching (in the Quad-Cities Soccer Association)."

Although they both played up front at first, they eventually found their way to fullback, although Adamitis' style of play still resembled that of a forward.

"I always liked playing defense," DeRousse said. "There's a little more responsibility back there."

"I feel like I can gamble a little more on offense because I know Dave is back there to cover up on defense," Adamitis said. "He's really tough back there."

As for Adamitis' All-America honors, DeRousse is not envious in the least.

"I don't mind not being named," he said. "And it's a great honor for Todd. He's one of my best friends."

Both players agreed it was kind of a strange year for the Warriors, who started fast and slumped in the middle of October.

"It was a strange year," Adamitis said. "We seemed to

have a lot of obstacles."

That would include injuries, including those to Adamitis' ankles.

"I've been getting them banged up every three months for several years," he said. "The doctors said they'll probably be swollen for a long time."

"The few times he was held out of a game was at my insistence," Raker said. "Todd always wanted to play."

Both players said Collinsville's victory at the state tournament said a lot for the quality of play in this part of the state, particularly the Southwestern Conference. It was the 10th time in 15 years a southern team has won the state title.

"I like to see somebody from down here win, but at the same time, Collinsville is our big rival," DeRousse said.

Adamitis was one of six players from Illinois to make the All-America team. There are players on the all-state team.

"I'm still hoping Dave will make it on the Parade team," Baker said.

Parade magazine released its All-America team sometime in the new year.

All-conference team announced

Dave DeRousse and Todd Adamitis were the only Warriors on the first team Southwestern Conference soccer team announced this week.

In all, the Warriors had seven players named. Fullbacks Kirk Mills and Jeff Grote, both juniors, were second team fullbacks, while senior Brett Bjorkman was on the second team as a midfielder. Senior goalie Matt Krevovich and senior forward Jason Smith were named to the honorable mention team.

State champion Collinsville had five players on the first team, and the Kahoks had a

total of eight on the team. Goalie Mark Ahlvers, back Keith Brooke, midfielders Jeff Deutsch and Joe Reiniger, and forward Rob Hartman were on the first team.

Alton had two players on the first team (forwards Tom Noll and Ryan Tucker), while Belleville East (Corey Easton) and Belleville West (Jeff Nott) had one player each.

In all, Belleville West had six players on the team, Belleville East had five and Alton had four.

Noll was involved in an

(See ALL-CONFERENCE, page 13A)

Madison FCA sponsoring game

The Madison Senior High Fellowship of Christian Athletes, along with the Madison Middle School Huddle of FCA, is sponsoring the fourth annual Charity Benefit Basketball Game for needy families in Madison.

The benefit will be held Friday, Nov. 21, at the Madison High School gym from 6 p.m. to 10 p.m. Last year, more than 575 cans were collected and 52 food baskets were given out.

The admission for the game will be \$1 for students and \$2 for adults. The FCA is asking that donations be brought in the form of canned goods (two cans for students and four for adults). They will be

distributed to needy families throughout the community.

Rich Essington and his basketball team have agreed to put on a demonstration basketball game, pitting the juniors against the seniors.

The preliminary game will feature the middle school seventh graders against the eighth

graders for one half, and the middle school faculty against the FCA team for a half.

Mark Giles and Charles Seytore are sponsors for the Madison Senior High huddle. Albert Collins is the sponsor for the middle school huddle.

Unit 12 administrators, principals and the district social worker will select the names of the needy families. Anyone having a particular family in mind can contact Arthur Carter, the high school principal, at 876-7010 before 4 p.m. Nov. 21.

There will be two turkeys given away at half time of the second game as a door prize.

All-conference

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automobile accident last week in Alton and was listed in serious condition in a St. Louis hospital. The Redbirds had another soccer player, Joel Herzon, killed in a car crash last year.

Southwestern Conference All-conference soccer team

First team
Goalie - Mark Ahlvers, Sr., Collinsville
Back - DAVE DEROUSSIE, SR., GRANITE CITY
Back - TODD ADAMITS, SR., GRANITE CITY

Back - Keith Brooke, Sr., Collinsville
Back - Corey Easton, Jr., Belleville East
Midfield - Jeff Deusch, Sr., Collinsville
Midfield - Jeff Opat, Jr., Belleville West
Midfield - Joe Kainiger, Sr., Collinsville
Forward - Tom Noll, Sr., Alton
Forward - Robb Hartman, Sr., Collinsville
Forward - Ryan Tucker, Sr., Alton

Second team
Goalie - Jay Zuber, Jr., Belleville West
Back - KIRK MILES, JR., GRANITE CITY
Back - JEFF GROTE, JR., GRANITE CITY
Back - Jim Johnson, Jr., Alton
Midfield - Brett Bjorkman, Sr., Collinsville
Midfield - Chris Milford, Sr., Alton
Midfield - Todd Grimsing, Jr., Belleville East
Forward - Joey Schuller, Sr., Collinsville
Forward - Tim Johnson, Sr., Collinsville
Forward - Gary Majka, Sr., Belleville East

Honorable mention
MATT KREKOVICH, GRANITE CITY;
JASON SMITH, GRANITE CITY; Mike Girard, Belleville East; Jeff Black, Belleville East; Jay Townsend, Belleville West; David Johnson, Belleville West; Mike Best, Belleville West; Brett Cassidy, Collinsville.

Hockey

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tion of being the only Illinois team in the MSCHA this year. Chokika will field a varsity team for the first time after having a junior varsity program for the past several years. The Comanches will join the Warriors, Francis Howell, Hazelwood East, Hazelwood Central, McCluer and McCluer North in the North Division.

"I think Francis Howell will be the one team we have to worry about in our division, but I really think we should win it," Henson said. "We'll be strong at forward, and although we won't be big in numbers on defense, we should be strong there, too. And we'll have a good junior varsity team."

Only three seniors can play junior varsity, so three of the 13 will see a lot of ice time there. "This practice marks the end of our conditioning," Henson said. "I'll be working on line combinations the rest of the week and pairing up defenses."

Hinterser will be the team captain, with Henson's son Garry and Joey Edwards serving as alternates. Jerry Roderick will again be an assistant coach.

The season opener is Nov. 22 at Queeny Park against Chaminade. Faceoff is at 4:15 p.m. The home opener is Monday, Dec. 1, against McCluer at Wilson Park in an 8:30 p.m. game.

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Sports briefs

Perry to speak at park district awards banquet

Pat Perry, a lefthanded relief pitcher for the St. Louis Baseball Cardinals, will be the featured speaker at the Granite City Park District's annual Sports Award Banquet.

The banquet will be held tonight at the Granite City Township Hall, with dinner being served at 6:15 p.m.

Perry was called up to the Cardinals near the end of the 1985 season and pitched four scoreless innings in his major league debut in a big September game in New York, when the Cardinals and Mets were fighting for the division title.

Perry also spent most of the 1986 season with the parent club, finishing with a 2-3 record, two saves and a 3.80 ERA. He is a 1977 graduate of Taylorville (Ill.) High School.

Cardinal reliever Ken Dayley

was originally scheduled to appear at the banquet, but Dayley's wife had a baby this week and he was unable to attend.

Wiser 6th for SEMO as team wins regional

Lora Wiser of Granite City finished in sixth place as Southeast Missouri State University won the Great Lakes cross country regional last weekend.

Wiser, a freshman, covered the 3.1-mile course at Warrensburg, Mo., in 19:27 as SEMO took the regional and advanced to the NCAA Division II national meet at California State-Riverside Nov. 22. SEMO was picked to finish second at the regional, but pulled a surprise.

Wiser, who starred for four years on the Warrior track and cross country teams, is the No. 3 runner for SEMO.

Park district Turkey Trot set for Nov. 16

The Granite City Park District will hold the 1986 "Turkey Trot" Sunday morning, Nov. 16.

The event is a run for six different divisions. There will be a one-mile run for males 16 and under, males 55 and over, females 16 and under, and females 55 and over; three-mile runs will be held for males 17 and over, and females 17 and over.

Turkeys will be awarded to the first place finishers in all six divisions. T-shirts will be awarded to the first 60 entries. The one-mile course will run from 27th and Delmar to Benton Street to the Wilson Park entrance.

The race will begin at 8:30 a.m., rain or shine at the 24th Street parkway. The \$5 entry fee will be accepted until 6 p.m. today at the Wilson Park office, Benton and Oregon Streets.

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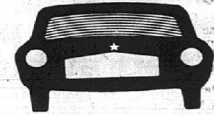
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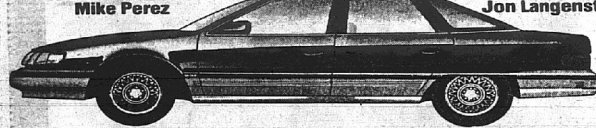
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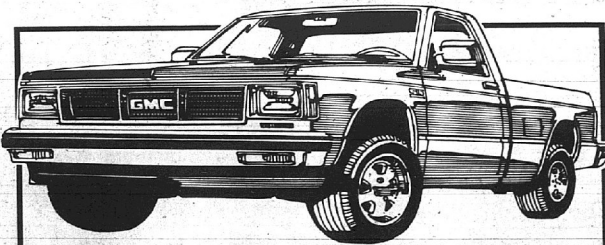
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Health care

Smokeout program aimed at high school

Thursday, Nov. 20, will mark the 10th anniversary of the National Cancer Society's Great American Smokeout. To celebrate the occasion, people will be helping people of all ages kick the habit once and for all.

This year, the National Cancer Society for the Quad-City Area is sponsoring an Adopt-A-Smoker campaign aimed at the youth in Granite City. This event will be based at Granite City High School.

Booths will be set up throughout the school cafeteria beginning Monday, Nov. 17, and ending Wed., Nov. 19, to promote it. Students are being urged to adopt friends who are smokers and help them to kick the habit.

This is to be done by having both the non-smoking student and the smoking student sign a written contract stating that it will be the sole responsibility of the non-smoking student to provide moral support and letters of encouragement for his or her newly-adopted acquaintance.

On Nov. 20, "care packages" will

be delivered to the adopted students to help ease their pain and suffering in this "most trying of times." The care packages will include an assortment of literature on cancer in general, sugarless chewing gum, crackers and carrot sticks.

At the end of the school day, students participating in the program are invited to meet near the smoking area of the Granite City High School campus to launch a variety of "I did it — and so can you" balloons.

Though much work and planning are involved in the organization of such a program, the cancer board at St. Elizabeth Medical Center is confident such an event aimed at youths provides "a great opportunity for everyone to join in and show the youths that people do care and want to help them kick the smoking habit."

Over the years, millions of people have joined in to make the Great American Smokeout a success. Though the immediate goal of the Adopt-A-Smoker campaign is to help



CO-CHAIRMAN for the Adopt-A-Smoker campaign Nov. 20, Sonya Adkerson, "adopts" Assistant Principal Pat Schuman and takes it upon herself to help Schuman on the path to smokelessness.

the smoker quit for a period of 24 hours, the cancer board is anticipating that many in this event will continue their will-power strength and curtail the habit for good.

Fewer newborn deaths sought in Madison County

The St. Louis metropolitan area has one of the highest rates of infant mortality in the nation. In Madison County, one infant dies for every 100 born, and seven out of every 100 are born with low birthweight, LuAnn Harrelson, a March of Dimes official, said this week.

The March of Dimes is working to improve the outcome of pregnancy, backing many research and medical programs which seek to ensure this goal.

"One of the most effective and easiest programs is public health education. Through educating the general public, birth defects can be greatly reduced," she said.

In January, the March of Dimes will hold its annual Mothers March against birth defects.

An estimated 12,000 marchers in the bi-state area will go door to door, distributing educational materials and collecting funds to continue "programs needed to give every baby a healthy start in life."

To find out how they can help, volunteers are to call (618) 692-0888.

Auxiliary will visit hospital

Plans to visit Alton Memorial Hospital on Nov. 18 were announced at a monthly meeting of the Auxiliary of VFW Post 1300.

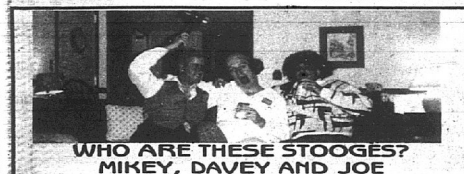
President Shirley Brenner presided at the session and presented Vernetta Rose Dowdy with a life membership from the National Home.

Cleo Schnefke discussed information regarding cancer grants and gave a rehabilitation report. She then read a letter from a member expressing research for assistance received in obtaining a cancer grant.

Mrs. Dowdy, hospital chairman, reviewed a visit to the John Cochran Veterans Administration Hospital in St. Louis and said the patients enjoyed the entertainment and refreshments.

In other civic projects the auxiliary donated an American flag to a Brownie troop at Parkview School and distributed coloring books and booklets on fire safety information. Refreshments were served after the meeting.

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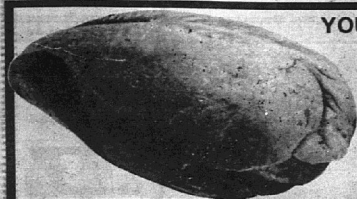
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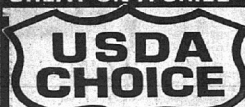
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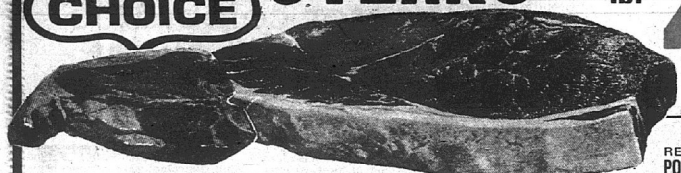
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Two candidates will compete for the title of Young Careerist on Nov. 17 at a dinner meeting of the Gateway Business and Professional Women's Organization, at Rousto's Restaurant, 204 N. Bluff Road, Collinsville.

Each contestant will present a three-minute speech on "Education for Today and Tomorrow."

After their presentations, they will be interviewed by a panel of three judges before the final selection is made. Judges will be Dorothy Hinson, a retired Granite City teacher, Gaye Flood, a realtor and broker, and Annabel "Woody" Woodring of the Collinsville BPW, immediate past state president of the Illinois BPW.

Competing will be Mary Elizabeth Crim of East Alton and Pamela Sue Wienhoff of Granite City.

Miss Crim is employed at Community Educational Federal Credit

Union, Wood River, as a clerk-teller. Her duties include loan officer, individual retirement account administrator and share draft accounts controller.

A graduate of Roxana High School, Miss Crim is attending SIUE and majoring in business administration. Her hobbies are reading, aquatic sports and league softball.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Crim of East Alton.

Mrs. Wienhoff is a buyer for the U.S. Army Aviation Systems Command. She graduated from Granite City High School North and attended Columbia College in St. Ann, Mo., where her major was in business.

She has presented 13 papers and appeared on Television Channel 11 with a talk on legislation concerning the handicapped.

Mrs. Wienhoff is interested in shows featuring handwork, crafts



Mary Crim

Pamela Wienhoff

and interior decoration, which are her hobbies.

She and her husband, Jeffrey Wienhoff, reside in Granite City, as do her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jewell Burnett.

The local winner will advance to

District 14 competition in the spring according to the chairman, Dorothy Elmore.

Reservations costing \$10 may be made by calling Mrs. Elmore at 797-1347 after 5 p.m. or 1-314-554-6944 from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Chapter celebrates Mooseheart Night

Women of the Moose Chapter 247 observed Mooseheart Chapter night at the Granite City Moose Lodge, with 30 members participating.

Senior Regent Sylvia Woods opened the session and introduced Jean Teller, a member of the host committee. Mrs. Teller presented other members of the committee and gave two checks to Mrs. Woods to be sent to Mooseheart, "the child city."

One check is to go towards the purchase of Christmas cards and the other is for the scholarship and maintenance fund.

Patricia Walter was then enrolled as a new member.

Pro tem officers for the session were Sara Gusewelle, Clara Johnson, Sharon McWilliams, Natalie Steff, Betty Chung, Jennie Bilyeu and Dorothy Lusk of Centralia.

Members took part in a "Christmas in October" march and all the contributions are to be used to provide Christmas gifts to the children at Mooseheart and senior citizens at Moosehaven.

The regent gave a report on a nurse tea and noted that the student nurse sponsored by the chapter was given a check to be used to further her education.

Irene Goede, Academy of Friendship chairman, gave a report of the Academy meeting at which a Christmas party was planned for Dec. 2. She said there will be a gift exchange and hostesses for the event will be Jennie Bilyeu and Marion Lipscomb.

Those attending the Academy meeting were Dorothy Reyes, Nancy Woods, Marjorie Wilkerson, Edna Miller, Dorothy Coy, Carolyn Hester, Clara Johnson, Anna Kuzma, Pat Macke, Karen Anders and Sylvia Woods.

Past Deputy Grand Regent Betty Johnson of Centralia spoke on "Membership."

After the meeting, lunch was served and games were played. Prizes were won by Pat Macke, Nancy Woods, Irene Goede, Sylvia Woods and Georgia Miller.

Former employees attend dinner meet

The annual reunion of former Miles Laboratories salaried personnel was held Nov. 8 at Juno's Restaurant.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Blade, John Combs, Jim Costello, Larry Hubbard, Charles Hogue, John Jateko, Wilbur Krausz, Paul Romine, Art Theis, Otto

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Organ Club celebrates anniversary

Sixteen members of the Metro-East Organ Society met at the Venice home of Betty Ballentine on Nov. 2 for a dinner meeting celebrating the 11th anniversary of the society.

A business meeting was conducted and plans were completed for the Christmas polka meeting. In addition to an exchange of gifts, everyone is to bring a white elephant gift to be used in connection with games. Officers for next year will be elected.

At the meeting, several musical games were played and prizes were awarded. Those winning were Evelyn Warren, Barbara Williams, Mary Hartmann and Bea Black. Also, balloons were deflated and prize slips were released.

The Metro-East Organ Society was organized in November 1975 through the Jack Johnson Music Store. Frank David was the first president of the 10-member group. Honorary members were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Johnson and Mrs. Fred Johnson.

Until September 1986, the group alternated having meetings in members' homes and at music stores. At that time, the meeting date was changed to the first Sunday afternoon of each month and meetings were shifted to homes entirely.

Frances and Frank David are the only charter members still participating in the organization. The immediate last two charter members to resign were Elizabeth Novack in 1983 and Carolyn Stearns in 1981. Mrs. Stearns, who maintained the club's scrapbook, gave it to Loretta Siegel, who keeps it up-to-date.

A varied group now participates in the club. Most of the members read music; a few play by ear, and some are taking lessons. Many have lessons in prior times. Membership is limited to 20 persons because home meetings generally cannot accommodate a larger number.

Interested persons who would like to be considered for membership are placed on a waiting list until there are vacancies. Membership has fluctuated, with a low of eight persons in 1977 and a full complement today.

The group shares musical infor-



METRO EAST ORGAN SOCIETY celebrates the 11th anniversary of the organization in the home of Betty Ballentine of Venice. Front row, from left, Frances David, Anita Kolling and Barbara Williams. Second row, Mrs. Ballentine, Ethel McGinnis, Mary Hartman and Elmer Kolling. Third row, Evelyn Warren, Elsie Braundmeyer, Bea Black, Howard Austin, Wilma Eddington, Frank David and Loretta Siegel.

mation. Teachers for specific topics during the 11 years have included Jack Johnson, the late Fred Johnson, Frances David and Betty Ballentine.

The group has visited the Holiday Inn, Bel-Air East, Marriott Pavilion, Erway's, Jack Johnson Music and National School of Music at different times for special concerts or to hear a guest organist.

Among the guest organists who have entertained in members' homes are Kevin Korte, Jack Johnson, Ed Thorpe, Angelo Villa, Dale Lockard, Gene Sedaquist, Pauline Stark, Phil Spence, Al Rezakab and Allen Vogovich.

For three years the group honored a member who showed the most improvement as a performer in the year. Those honored were Howard Austin, Loretta Siegel and Betty Ballentine.

A game similar to "Name That

Tune" has been played at various times. Persons honored for naming the most tunes for a year were Bea Black and Frances David.

In January 1983, several members joined the SIMAC Organ Club, which was associated with cable TV, and meetings were taped for showing on cable.

The officers are Anita Kolling, president; Evelyn Warren, vice president; Elsie Braundmeyer, secretary; and Mary Hartman, treasurer. Areas represented by members include Venice, Granite City, Collinsville, Maryville, Wood River, East Alton, Alton and St. Charles County in Missouri.

Other club members in addition to those mentioned include Anna Austin, Walter Braundmeyer, Helen DeChiara, Wilma Eddington, Elmer Kolling, Virginia Vandermark, Ethel McGinnis, Catherine Roman and Leo Roman.

St. Margaret Mary pancake breakfast and bazaar Sunday

St. Margaret Mary's Men's Club will hold its 10th annual pancake and sausage breakfast on Sunday, Nov. 16.

The breakfast will be held in the school cafeteria at 1900 St. Clair Ave. from 7:30 a.m. until 1 p.m. The all-you-can-eat menu will consist of pancakes, sausage, biscuits and gravy, coffee and orange juice.

Cost for the breakfast is: adults, \$3.75, children age 12 and under, \$1.75, and children under five, free. The Ladies Club will also be holding its Christmas craft bazaar in the cafeteria during the breakfast.

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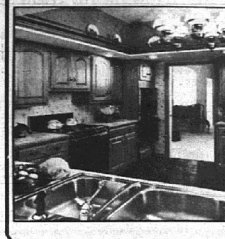
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'Egg lady' will speak at Thanksgiving dinner

Mrs. Donna Carter, better known as the "Egg lady," will be discussing "everything you've always wanted to know about eggs, but have been too chicken to ask" at Walk-On's Thanksgiving dinner buffet Monday, Nov. 17, at the Nameoki United Presbyterian Church, 1700 Pontoon Road, at 6:30 p.m.

Mrs. Carter will give a presentation about the size, grade and nutrition of eggs, plus many ways to use them.

She will be making a variety of egg dishes including omelettes, crepes, instant breakfast drink, and quiche. Samples of food will be given out to taste, and free recipes will be distributed.

She is one of 14 "egg ladies" throughout Missouri. She performs at junior high schools and senior high school home economic classes, various adult groups, state fairs,

and Farm Bureau festivals throughout the area. She has appeared several times on the Pasta House cooking show.

The Thanksgiving buffet will consist of turkey and dressing, mashed potatoes, green beans, cranberry sauce, rolls, tea, coffee and dessert for \$5.

The buffet will begin at 6:30 and the program will start at 7 p.m. All reservations must be made by Friday, Nov. 14, at 3 p.m. For more information on this program or to make a reservation, Elizabeth Neeley can be called at 676-4321.

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Mr. and Mrs. Young name girl Kathryn

Mr. and Mrs. William (Alice) Young Jr., 703 N. 24th St., are announcing the birth of a daughter on Oct. 20 at St. John Mercy Medical Center, St. Louis.

The new arrival has been named Kathryn Marie and she weighed 7

pounds, 7 ounces. She has two brothers, Dennis, who is eight years old, and four-year-old Joshua. Grandparents are Evelyn McElvain, Granite City; Thomas McElvain Sr., Columbus, Ohio; and Mr. and Mrs. William Young Sr., Scottsdale, Ariz.

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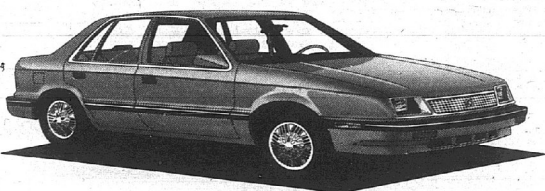
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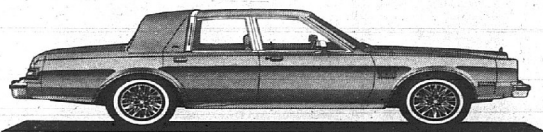
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Laureate plans Yule projects

Community service projects during the forthcoming season were discussed at a meeting of the Laureate Alpha Gamma Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi when it met on the evening of Nov. 5, in the home of Pat Tsigoloff on Lydia Lane.

A letter on the Salvation Army's 1986 Christmas Kettle program was read, as was a brochure explaining the Christmas Tree Festival to be held in St. Louis on Nov. 28-30, with proceeds going to the Judevine Center for the Autistic. The Laureate Chapter has long been a supporter of the Salvation Army in

Granite City, and members have enjoyed attending the tree festival in the past.

Arlene Haldeman, who heads the Service Committee, invited members to her home on a mid-December Sunday afternoon when tins will be packed with home-made cookies to be delivered during the holidays to elderly relatives and family friends who are ill or residing in nursing homes.

Laureate will also repeat its traditional Christmas monetary gift to the organization to assist the Handicapped in Madison. Two members, Evelyn Tolliver and Ruth Stoyanoff, are active members of OATF's board of directors.

Delores Dorch of the Social Committee announced that Martha Jean Dyer will be honored at a dinner party in mid-November at Michael's in Highland. Mrs. Dyer will receive Beta Sigma Phi's senior degree that evening.

Because members so enjoyed their March performance, Mrs. Dorch announced that The Duquesne University Tamburitans

will return to Granite City on the evening of Nov. 28.

Also, she announced her committee is finalizing plans for the chapter's Christmas party to be held in Belleville during December. All girls participating in the cookie sales will earn a patch and receive incentives provided by the troop.

Unrelated to their Girl Scout activities, several of the girls under the guidance of Mrs. Schillinger participated in UNICEF's Trick or

Treat program. Born in the Oklahoma Territory during the decade following the Civil War and educated at the Kemper Military Academy, the humorist and writer, proud of his Indian ancestry, went on to fame and fortune in vaudeville, the theater, the newspaper profession and movies. At the age of 56, Rogers was killed in a 1935 Alaskan plane crash. His wit and writings remain as fresh and incisive today as they were over a half-century ago, she said.

Following a game conducted by Jean Forrest, the hostess served dessert and beverages to those mentioned and to Jane Laule, Dolores Byrnes and Lora Mae Lombardi.

Students choose parade winners

Webster School held its annual Halloween parade on Oct. 31. The children paraded in costumes around the block and returned to their classrooms.

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Third grade, Ahniwake Whitehorn, Sonya Dennison, Kristin Johannmeier and Misty Gray; fourth grade, Ryan Penrod, Tawny Gracey, Buddy Pohse and Matt Wilson; fifth grade, Tina McIntosh, Stephanie Purcell, George Schank and Melissa McIntosh; and sixth grade, Rachelle Walker, Elizabeth Duncan, Jamie Howland and Sheila Clemens.

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Brownies play miniature golf

Brownie Troop 323, third grade students at Mitchell School, enjoyed an afternoon of miniature golf at Johnny's Funland in Pontoon Beach.

Each girl tested her skills on the 18-hole course. Participating were Mary Beth Bloomquist, Michelle Bringer, Christi Castile, Melinda Colbert, Vicki Copeland, Theresa Dames, Leslie Davis, Vanessa Duckett, Lori Gaudette, Nicole Hamilton, Rebecca Haisel, Valerie Matlock, Dena Mayes, Melody Potts, Christina Ragan, Jennifer Neihardt, Hillary Ryan, Hillary Sanders, Amy Schillinger, Trisha Sumpter, Shelby Green, Amanda Timmons, Jill Wozniak and Daniela Rinehart.

Two troop was under the guidance of chaperones Kathy Schillinger, Kris Hamilton, Robin Rinehart, Vera Bloomquist, Diana Ryan, Janet Timmons, Colleen Binger and Denna Dames. Accompanying the troop were Adam Schillinger, Erik Hamilton, Robin Bloomquist and Holly Ryan.

The Brownies received Stash the Trash patches earned last spring. A dental hygiene patch was earned in a special program presented by Mrs. Cindy Castile.

Many of the Brownies participated in the Neighborhood Cookie Rally. At a troop-sponsored cookie rally, the girls made up cheers, played a special selling board game and refreshed their selling skills.

At the close of cookie sales, it was announced that the troop's top seller was Theresa Dames with 572 boxes. Also recognized were Christina Ragan and Amy Schillinger, each selling over 200 boxes.

All girls participating in the cookie sales will earn a patch and receive incentives provided by the troop.

Unrelated to their Girl Scout activities, several of the girls under the guidance of Mrs. Schillinger participated in UNICEF's Trick or

Treat program.

Alcoholism topic of Upsilon Xi

Members of Upsilon Xi Chapter met at the National Council on Alcoholism in St. Louis to hear Kathy McAllister speak on alcoholism.

The guest speaker showed a film entitled "A Slight Drinking Problem" and then gave a talk, followed by a discussion session.

Carol Moerlein, president, conducted a business segment after the presentation, and noted there were seven members at the citywide "Share the Dream" program. The social was held in the 300 Room of Granite City Bowl.

The president said the chapter received an invitation to participate in the 1987 area breakfast to be held in St. Peters, Mo., on June 27-28. Plans were announced for the Christmas party to be held Dec. 6 at Ralph & Charlie's Restaurant in Madison.

Chapter members agreed to donate money to the 100 needy families fund in lieu of holding a gift exchange among the group.

The meeting is set for Nov. 20 in the home of Mrs. Moerlein. Others present were Marie Cann, Jeanne Brandon, Kathy McAllister, Carol Scott, Mary Scott, Bettie Myrick and Nancy Ulakey.

County Fair group plans flea market

The Madison County Fair Association plans to have a flea market once a month starting in January 1987. The flea market will be on the second Sunday of each month at the Madison County Fair Association's Exposition Building at Lindendale Park, Highland, from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

All tables will be furnished by the association; each table is 8 feet long. To reserve a table or for more information, Roberta Ohren can be called at 488-2588, Betty Proctor at 654-3295 or Judy McBride at 644-5896.

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The October meeting of the Ladies Sodality of St. Elizabeth's Church was conducted by President JoAnn Waymire. New members introduced were Mary Stanfill and Edna Antonovich.

It was announced that the annual parish Christmas dinner-dance will be held on Dec. 13 at the Knights of Columbus Hall on Old Alton Road. Tickets will cost \$25 per couple, and will include a buffet dinner, refreshments and the dance.

The Ladies Sodality Christmas party will be held in the school cafeteria on Dec. 2. Tickets for this event will cost \$3.50 and the tickets are now on sale from any of the club officers. Tickets will also be sold before and after each Mass for the next two weeks, the president said.

Following the business portion of the meeting, a skin care demonstration was provided for the group by Linda Roder and Janet Simpson of Merle Normal Cosmetics.

The prize for the evening was awarded to Shelley Hill and the third grade class. Vivian Byer received the Madonna and the quilt of the month was given to Ellen Urban. Nancy Norris won the pot of gold prize.

The sixth grade mothers were hostesses for the evening.

The Italian-American Club of the Quad-Cities held its November meeting Monday evening at Tony's Restaurant. President Frank Scaturro presided.

A nominating committee was appointed to present a slate of candidates for election at the December meeting.

The annual children's Christmas party was planned during the meeting, and it was announced the affair will be held on Sunday, Dec. 7, at Tony's Restaurant. The organization hosts a party each year for the children and the grandchildren of members. It was also disclosed that plans are under way for an adults' Christmas party. Arrangements will be announced later.

The next club-sponsored bingo will be on Saturday, Dec. 13, at the Venice American Legion Hall. In celebration of the Christmas season, 10 additional prizes will be awarded that evening.

The organization voted to make Christmas donations to the Salvation Army Tree of Lights, Cancer Society, Heart Association, and Organization for Advancement of the Handicapped.

The next club sponsored bingo will be on Saturday, Dec. 13, at the served following the meeting.

Michael John Bauer celebrated his first birthday at a party hosted by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bauer, at their home.

The dining room of the Bauer home was decorated with brightly colored balloons and Happy Birthday streamers. The birthday cake featured Birthday Bear, one of the popular Care Bear figures.

Guests included Michael's brother, Stephen, and his sister, Sarah, his paternal grandmother, Mrs. Anna Bauer, and his maternal grandmother, Mrs. Vera Moenster.

Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. James Bauer and Chris, Mrs. Mary Dycus and sons, Nathan and Peter, Mr. and Mrs. David Moenster and son, Joey, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Moenster and children, Chris, Todd and Jamie, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Moenster and son, Ryan.



Rev. and Mrs. Gregory White

Glenview Chapel welcomes new pastor and his family

Glenview Chapel Assembly of God Church has remodeled the sanctuary to give the church a new look for the new pastor and his family.

The Rev. and Mrs. Gregory L. (Nancy) White are the parents of four children, Bryan, eight, Erin, four, and Andrew and Eric, both two. They moved from Gibson City, Ill., where he was pastor of the First Assembly of God Church for eight years.

Rev. White has announced the congregation is having its first missions convention on Nov. 14 through 16. On Friday there will be a film on "The God-Makers" at 7 p.m. and on Saturday, a banquet will be served at 5:30 p.m., followed by a guest speaker, the Rev. Bill Snider, who has just received foreign missions appointment.

Mr. and Mrs. Pratt announce 3rd child

Mr. and Mrs. John (Tammy) Pratt, of Granite City, have selected the name of Ashley Nicole for their third child, a girl, born Sept. 19 at Oliver Anderson Hospital in Maryville.

The infant weighed 6 pounds, 10 ounces. She has a sister, Danyale, who is six years old, and a brother, John, two.

Grandparents include Mr. and Mrs. Anthony (Judy) Aiello of Granite City and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford (Mary) Pratt of Cahokia.

Services Nov. 13-15

Word of Life Fellowship, Faith and Marshall avenues, will be holding three nights of special services featuring Pastor Brad Marcum. Services will begin at 7:30 p.m., Nov. 13, 14 and 15.

Garden club donates funds

Garden Study Club members agreed to send donations to Blue Star Marker, Woodland Gardening, Chicago River Gardens and the United Way at their November meeting.

Mrs. Clara Winter, 4616 Vine Blvd., was hostess for the noon luncheon and afternoon meeting.

President Helen Mihu opened the meeting and each one answered roll call by naming a favorite broad leaf, evergreen or conifer. Mary Stonum reported on a District V Garden Clubs board meeting held in Wood River.

Also noted was that nine members attended the District V President's Council Day held at Central Christian Church. Mrs. Winter won four blue ribbons and a red ribbon in the horticulture division for specimens of a hybrid Clematis, Blue Salvia, Hawaiian marigold and dill cubanelle peppers.

The program, "Gardening Monarchs," was given by Mrs. Mihu and included information on broad leaf, evergreens, and the white fir. Exhibits were provided by Mrs. Marie Eads on Christmas holly, Yaweh holly and a deciduous holly.

Others attending were Norma Crenshaw, Helen Meyer, Christine Hornberger, Katherine Kostoff and Jean Holder.

The next meeting will be the annual Christmas dinner on Dec. 3 at the home of Mrs. Mihu, 2547 Pontoon Road.

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On Sunday at 10:45 a.m. the Rev. Eldon Tracy, missionary to Portugal, will deliver the sermon. At 6 p.m. Sunday, the Rev. Lloyd Aud, who has a campus ministry to international students at SIU at Carbondale, will speak.

The public is being invited to attend all the services.

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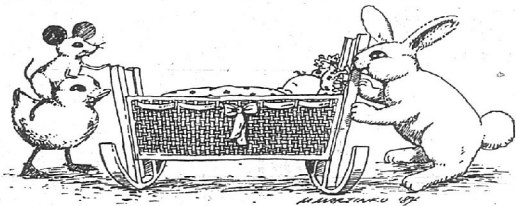
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Gateway BPW hears GC police officer

Rich Schardan, a member of the Granite City Police Department for 10 years, was the featured speaker at a dinner meeting of the Gateway Business and Professional Women's Organization, held at Charlie's Restaurant.

He has been active for five years in drug enforcement with the Metropolitan Enforcement Group of Southwestern Illinois and has been involved in numerous drug abuse prevention programs.

He also has given instructional services to law enforcement and other professionals concerning problems of drug abuse.

Schardan said, "Everyone's help is needed, especially if we are going to raise healthy children. Cocaine is currently the fastest growing drug of abuse, and over the last few years we have seen a steady increase in its availability."

"Prevention is the answer. We need more than just law enforcement attempting to seize the illegal substances."

"We need the involvement of parents, churches and schools in



Rich Schardan

educating our youth of the dangers of substance abuse," the speaker said.

He added that more cooperation is needed locally, and voiced hope that many will participate in a Nov. 18 Granite City program on the fight against drug abuse.

Ruth Nicholas, chairman of the event, was chosen as member of the month by LaVelle Stephens, membership chairman. Mrs. Nicholas is office supervisor for the Madison County circuit clerk's office in Granite City and has been involved in BPW activities for 10 years.

President Judy McCann presided at the meeting and introduced other guests, City Clerk Robert Stevens and his wife, Valerie, Ida Dant, former alderman of Madison, Jackie Watkins, chairman of the Granite City Democratic precinct committee, and Gail Valle, a representative of Nick Pettrillo, city treasurer.

A report was given by Ollie Derr on a seminar sponsored by the National Federation of Business and Professional Women, on "Manage Your Organization—Manage Your Life."

Others attending were Judy Puryear, Ruth Nicholas, Shirley Jones, Barbara Hodges, LaVelle Stephens and Joy Wolford.

Grace Baptist to hold Thanksgiving service

Grace Baptist Church, 2000 Edwards St., will be holding its sixth annual Thanksgiving service on Tuesday, Nov. 25, at 7 p.m.

Dr. Bob Jones, pastor of the church, said this service is one of the highlights of the year. It has a unique format, in that no requests of any kind are made during the evening.

only the giving of praise and thanksgiving are offered to God.

The service will include special music performed by various soloists and ensembles in the church. It will also include open testimonials given by those members of the church who wish to participate.

Dr. Jones invites the public to take part. A nursery will be provided for those with children.

Central Christian plans rummage and bake sale

Home-baked goods will be available at a rummage and bake sale from 9 a.m. until 1 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 15, in the Fellowship Hall at Central Christian Church, 2020 Johnson Road.

The public is invited to attend. Mary Lee Lurton and Joyce Bennington, project co-chairmen, announced.

Plans for the annual sale were made at a general meeting of the Christian Women's Fellowship. Mrs. Bennington, CWF president, conducted the business session, with members voting to purchase the books, "Chance to Dance" and "Life in Bible Times."

The books were recommended by Madge Hanson, reading chairman, and will be donated to the church library.

Lois Bilbey said arrangements are complete for members to attend the St. Louis Symphony Orchestra's "Pops Concert" on Dec. 7 at Powell Hall, St. Louis.

The local CWF group will be responsible for providing music at the Eastside Cluster luncheon, scheduled in March at the Hillcrest Christian Church in Belleville, Mrs. Bennington said.

"A Vision for the Future" was the title of a program presented by Mrs. Bilbey. Margaret Rutter led the worship and Lumeta Durbin read scripture passages.

Assisting in the program were Lena Seitzer, Beth Spengler, Geneva Butler, Mary Lee Lurton, Peggy Gibbons, Ruby Hart, Helen Stumpe, Doris Edwards, Marie Gordon and Myra Parrish.

Margaret Turner, CWF secretary, gave a report. Ruth Lelik also attended the meeting.

CWF members conducted a layette shower to conclude the meeting. The gifts were later presented to Church Women United for use in its special newborn program.

Second Baptist plans services; pastor arrives

The new pastor of Second Baptist Church, 2100 Illinois Ave., the Rev. Mark E. Haumschilt, has arrived and is residing at 2 Colonial Drive.

The public is being invited to the services, which begin on Sunday at 9:30 a.m. with a Bible study group, at 10:40 with the morning worship, at 6:30 with a church training hour, and at 7:30 with the evening worship. There also is a Wednesday evening prayer service at 7:30.

The church vans are available for transportation by calling 877-4882 and a nursery is provided for all services.

Baptist Church run attracts 17

The Suburban Baptist Church recreation department held its first "Run for the Son" project.

Two courses were run, a one-mile and a 10-kilometer.

Those taking part in the run were Jonathan Reader, David Canady, Glen Ahlers, Doug Scott, Larry Reader, Jami Barnes, Kevin Myers, Judy Ryker, Pam Meyer, Maria Mendoza, Julie Barnes, Cheryl Schofield, Brad O'Neill, John Ripsey, Phil Simosky, Ken Fuller and Lora Churchill.

Recreation Director Connie LaVelle said plans are already being made for next year's run.

Six marriage licenses issued to area couples

Marriage licenses issued through the office of Evelyn Bowles, county clerk, Edwardsville, to Quad-City residents include:

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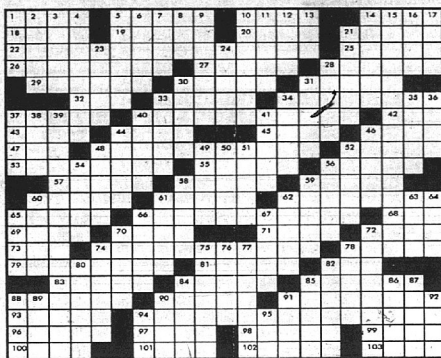
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Sculptor to play with fire

Judy Onofrio, a well-known sculptor, will appear at SIUE on Wednesday, Nov. 19, at 7:30 p.m. as a feature of the university's Arts and Issues series.

She has exhibited innovative and contemporary works of art at colleges across the U.S. At SIUE, she will construct a large conceptual piece to undergo an "artistic transformation" on Parking Lot 9, southeast of the central campus.

After presenting a brief lecture focusing on the elusive quality of many art forms, Onofrio will ignite her creation as the final phase of its transformation.

In her words, "Fire as a tool alters the wood in the construction of art to reveal unexpected relationships. In moving toward the death of the piece, the observer witnesses the secret. All the while, fire operates by its own rules — chance, randomness and mystery."

She has made similar appearances at Drake University and the University of North Dakota. In describing her visit, the Grand Forks Herald said: "Onofrio created a happening...and made us think about what art is, the way it's made, and the way we look at it."

During her visit to SIUE, she will

conduct master classes for the department of art and design.

An exhibit of her paintings is being presented in the University Center Art Gallery through Nov. 21. Gallery hours are 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. In case of rain Nov. 19, her lecture will be held Nov. 20 at 7:30 p.m. Tickets are not needed for the event.

The 1986-87 Arts and Issues series includes:

- William F. Buckley Jr. — Dec. 3 — 7:30 p.m.
- Admiral Stansfield Turner — Jan. 22, 1987 — 7:30 p.m.
- Orlando String Quartet — Feb. 26 — 7:30 p.m.
- Lar Lubovitch Dance Company — March 3 — 7:30 p.m.
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names as Tom Paxton, Janis Ian and Billy Joel.

"Most of the songs that are written these days are written for the young market, which is great," Torme says. "The problem is that it is very, very difficult to sing some of those tunes and have any kind of credibility. Lyrically speaking, they are to a great extent lyrics that reflect the feelings, the attitudes and the mores of the young."

"I just have to be extra selective about songs so that I don't run the risk of having somebody in an audience - especially young people - say, 'Aw, Torme is trying to pander to us. He's trying to show us that he's not an old moldy fig. He's trying to be contemporary. I would never want that to happen.'"

Torme will join Richard Hayman and the Pops at Powell Symphony Hall at 8:30 p.m. Nov. 14 and at 3 and 7 p.m. Nov. 15. Torme's search for material that is interesting and credible can be quite a task. On "Mel Torme, A New Album," he considered 300 songs. With more than 50 albums to his name, Torme has listened to an impressive amount of music.

There's a reason why Torme is driven to find different music.

"When you're a pop singer like I am - or a jazz-pop singer, or a

pop-jazz singer, whatever you want to call me - you are stuck, constantly, with the 'love' theme. You know, 'I love you, or I loved you and I lost you, or I love you and I lost you and I'll never get you back.' I mean it's stupefying to try to find songs that are a little unique."

"If we're looking for a common denominator, the word is 'credibility.' I just try to make sure that everything I sing is believable, by me," he says.

What is perhaps most remarkable is how he continues to do surprising things. Torme sang an eerie ballad "Zazz Turned Blue" on a new wave album by the group Was (Not Was). One of the songs he will be performing in St. Louis will be Eric Carmer's "Boats Against the Tide."

Torme says he recently has taken a shine to a song by Donald Fagan of Steely Dan fame, another musical source which, on the surface, seems rather unlikely.

"I'm going to write a chart on 'Walk Between the Raindrops' very soon. Donald Fagan is one of my favorite songwriters. I just think the guy's great. I carry his album 'Nightly' with me wherever I go and play it all the time."

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